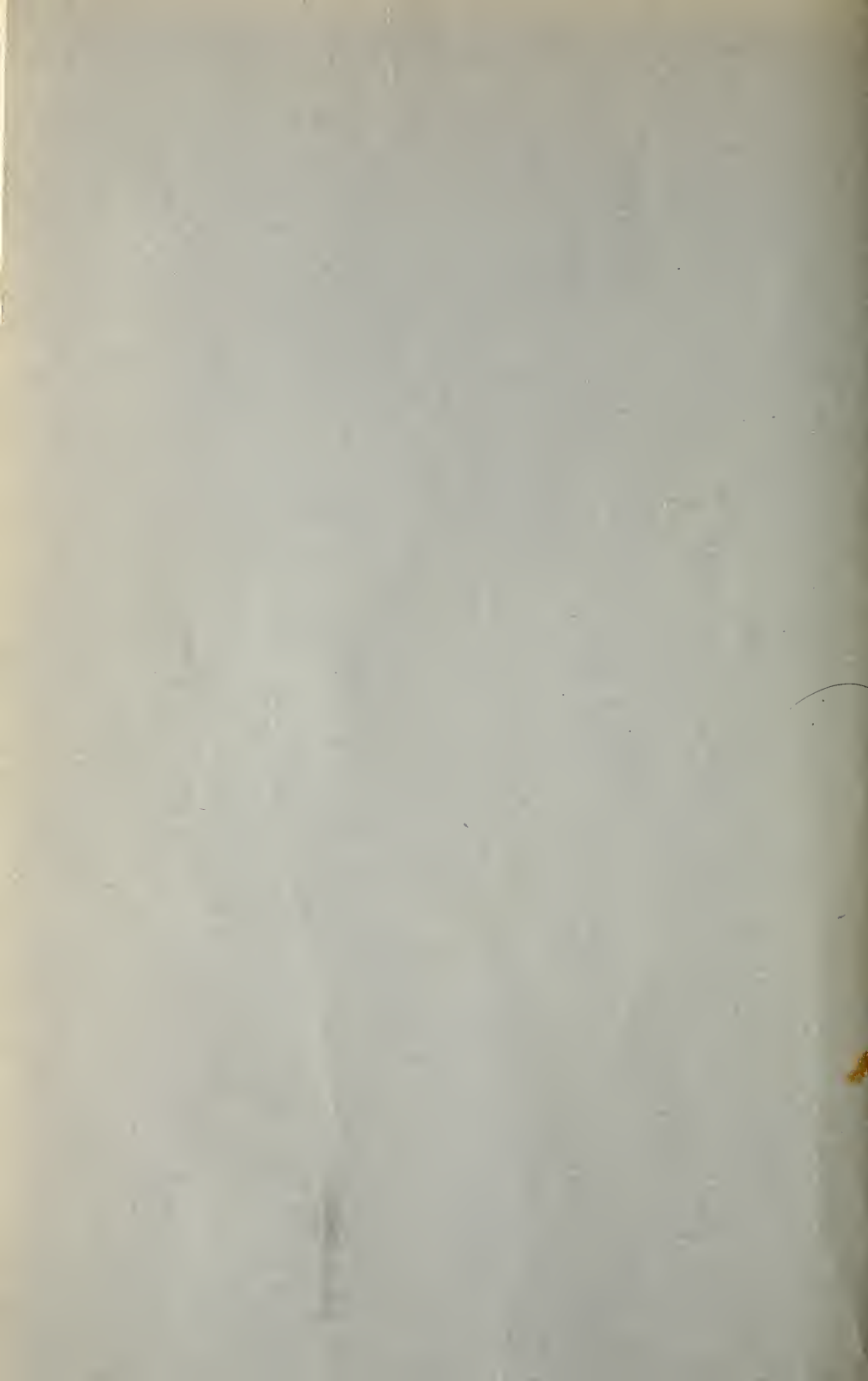


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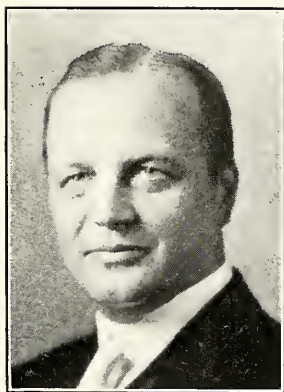
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## METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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Yr.	Time	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1788	May 13	Keywoods, Va.....	Francis Asbury..	.....
1790	May 14	Masterson's, Va.....	Francis Asbury..	.....
1792	May 12	Huffakers, Va.....	Francis Asbury..	.....
1793	Apr. 15	Nashville, Tenn.....	.....	.....
1794	Apr. 15	Kentucky.....	.....	.....
1795	May 1	Kentucky.....	.....	.....
1796	Apr. 20	Dawes, Tenn.....	Francis Asbury..	.....
1797	May 1	Bethel, Ky.....	.....	.....
1798	May 2	Holston, Tenn.....	Francis Asbury..	.....
1799	May 1	Bethel, Ky.....	.....	.....
1800	Apr. 4	Dunworth.....	.....	.....

### WESTERN CONFERENCE

Yr.	Time	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1800	Oct. 6	Bethel Academy, Ky	Francis Asbury..	William Burk
1801	Oct. 1	Ebenezer, Tenn.....	Francis Asbury..	William Burk
1802	Oct. 1	Bethel, Cumberland County, Tenn.....	Francis Asbury..	William Burk
1803	Oct. 2	Mt. Gerizim, Ky.....	Francis Asbury..	William Burk
1804	Oct. 2	Mt. Gerizim, Ky.....	Wm. M'Kendree..	William Burk
1805	Oct. 2	Anthony Houston's, Scott Co., Ky.....	{ Francis Asbury..	William Burk
			{ Rich. Whatcoat...	William Burk
1806	Sept. 15	Ebenezer, Tenn.....	Francis Asbury..	William Burk
1807	Sept. 14	Chillicothe, Ohio.....	Francis Asbury..	William Burk
1808	Oct. 1	Liberty Hill, Tenn....	Francis Asbury..	William Burk
1809	Sept. 30	Cincinnati, Ohio.....	{ Wm. M'Kendree..	William Burk
			{ Francis Asbury..	William Burk
1810	Nov. 1	New Chapel, Shelby County, Ky.....	Wm. M'Kendree..	William Burk
1811	Oct. 1	Cincinnati, Ohio.....	Wm. M'Kendree..	Le'ar Blackburn

### TENNESSEE CONFERENCE

Yr.	Time	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1812	Nov. 12	Fountain H'd, Tenn.	{ Francis Asbury..	William B. Elgin
			{ Wm. M'Kendree..	William B. Elgin
1813	Oct. 1	Ree's Chapel, Tenn...	{ Francis Asbury..	William B. Elgin
			{ Wm. M'Kendree..	William B. Elgin
1814	Sept. 29	Kennerlys, Ky.....	{ Francis Asbury..	Thos. L. Douglas
			{ Wm. M'Kendree..	Thos. L. Douglas
1815	Oct. 20	Bethlehem, Ky.....	{ Francis Asbury..	Thos. L. Douglas
			{ Wm. M'Kendree..	Thos. L. Douglas
1816	Oct. 26	Franklin, Tenn.....	Wm. M'Kendree..	Thos. L. Douglas
1817	Oct. 30	Franklin, Tenn.....	*T. L. Douglas.....	Hardy M. Coyer

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Yr.	Time	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1818	Oct. 1	Nashville, Tenn.....	{ Wm. M'Kendree. { Enoch George.....	Chas. Holliday
1819	Oct. 1	Nashville, Tenn.....	{ Wm. M'Kendree. { Enoch George.....	Chas. Holliday
1820	Oct. 4	Hopkinsville, Tenn...	*Marcus Lindsey..	Chas. Holliday
1821	Nov. 7	Norvell's Cmp. Grd...	{ Wm. M'Kendree. { Robt. R. Roberts..	Thos. L. Douglas
1822	Oct. 16	Ebenezer, Tenn.....	{ Enoch George..... { Wm. M'Kendree..	Thos. L. Douglas
1823	Nov.	Huntsville, Ala.....	Enoch George.....	Thos. L. Douglas

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Yr.	Time	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1824	Nov. 27	Knoxville, Tenn.....	Robt. R. Roberts.	John Tevis
1825	Oct. 20	Jonesboro, Tenn.....	{ Robt. R. Roberts. { Joshua Soule.....	Thos. Stringfield
1826	Nov. 2	Abingdon, Va.....	Joshua Soule.....	Thos. Stringfield
1827	Nov. 1	Knoxville, Tenn.....	Robt. R. Roberts.	Elbert F. Sevier
1828	Nov. 14	Jonesboro, Tenn.....	Joshua Soule.....	Elbert F. Sevier
1829	Dec. 24	Abingdon, Va.....	Joshua Soule.....	Elbert F. Sevier
1830	Nov. 4	Ebenezer, Tenn.....	{ Wm. M'Kendree. { Joshua Soule.....	Elbert F. Sevier
1831	Nov. 10	Athens, Tenn.....	Elijah Hedding..	Elbert F. Sevier
1832	Nov. 15	Evansham, Va.....	John Emory.....	Thos. Stringfield
1833	Oct. 16	Kingsport, Tenn.....	Robt. R. Roberts.	Lew S. Marshall
1834	Oct. 8	Knoxville, Tenn.....	*Jno. Henninger..	Lew S. Marshall
1835	Oct. 7	Abingdon, Va.....	Jas. O. Andrew..	Lew S. Marshall
1836	Oct. 2	Madisonville, Tenn...	Thos. A. Morris..	Lew S. Marshall
1837	Oct. 8	Reem's Creek, N. C...	Jas. O. Andrew..	Lew S. Marshall
1838	Nov. 13	Wytheville, Va.....	Jas. O. Andrew..	Lew S. Marshall
1839	Oct. 13	Greenville, Tenn.....	*Thos. K. Catlett..	D. R. McAnally
1840	Nov. 11	LaFayette, Ga.....	Thos. A. Morris..	Elbert F. Sevier
1841	Oct. 6	Rogersville, Tenn.....	*Samuel Patten..	Elbert F. Sevier
1842	Oct. 5	Knoxville, Tenn.....	Beverly Waugh..	Elbert F. Sevier
1843	Oct. 4	Abingdon, Va.....	Thos. A. Morris..	Elbert F. Sevier
1844	Oct. 9	Reem's Creek, N. C...	Edm'd S. James..	Elbert F. Sevier
1865	June 1	Athens, Tenn.....	D. W. Clark.....	John F. Spence
1866	May 17	Greenville, Tenn.....	D. W. Clark.....	John F. Spence
1867	Oct. 3	Knoxville, Tenn.....	C. Kingsley.....	John F. Spence
1868	Oct. 8	Chattanooga, Tenn...	D. W. Clark.....	John F. Spence
1869	Oct. 7	Jonesboro, Tenn.....	M. Simpson.....	John F. Spence
1870	Oct. 3	Knoxville, Tenn.....	L. Scott.....	John J. Manker
1871	Oct. 11	Greenville, Tenn.....	L. Scott.....	John J. Manker
1872	Oct. 2	Cleveland.....	S. M. Merrill.....	John J. Manker
1873	Oct. 1	Knoxville, Tenn.....	G. Haven.....	John J. Manker
1874	Sept. 30	Chattanooga, Tenn...	E. G. Andrews..	John J. Manker
1875	Sept. 29	Greenville.....	T. Bowman.....	John J. Manker
1876	Oct. 4	Kingston.....	L. Scott.....	John J. Manker



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Yr.	Time	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1877	Sept. 27	Knoxville.....	W. L. Harris.....	John J. Manker
1878	Oct. 2	New Market.....	L. Scott.....	John J. Manker
1879	Oct. 15	Knoxville.....	I. W. Wiley.....	John J. Manker
1880	Oct. 20	Greeneville.....	E. O. Haven.....	Jas. D. Roberson
1881	Oct. 20	Maryville.....	E. G. Andrews.....	Judson S. Hill
1882	Oct. 19	Chattanooga.....	M. Simpson.....	Judson S. Hill
1883	Oct. 17	Knoxville.....	T. Bowman.....	Judson S. Hill
1884	Oct. 16	Greeneville.....	H. W. Warren.....	Thos. B. Russell
1885	Oct. 15	Johnson City.....	J. F. Hurst.....	Thos. B. Russell
1886	Oct. 20	Athens.....	W. F. Mallalieu.....	Thos. B. Russell
1887	Oct. 12	Knoxville.....	E. G. Andrews.....	Thos. B. Russell
1888	Oct. 10	Cleveland.....	J. N. Fitzgerald.....	Thos. B. Russell
1889	Oct. 9	Dayton.....	I. W. Joyce.....	Thos. B. Russell
1890	Oct. 9	Greeneville.....	J. M. Walden.....	Thos. B. Russell
1891	Oct. 21	Chattanooga.....	W. X. Ninde.....	Thos. B. Russell
1892	Oct. 5	Morristown.....	C. D. Foss.....	Thos. B. Russell
1893	Oct. 17	Maryville.....	S. M. Merrill.....	Thos. B. Russell
1894	Oct. 17	Johnson City.....	R. S. Foster.....	Thos. B. Russell
1895	Oct. 9	Knoxville.....	D. A. Goodsell.....	Thos. B. Russell
1896	Sept. 30	Newport.....	W. F. Mallalieu.....	James H. Amis
1897	Sept. 23	Athens.....	E. G. Andrews.....	James H. Amis
1898	Oct. 13	Elizabethton.....	J. H. Vincent.....	James H. Amis
1899	Oct. 11	Cleveland.....	C. D. Foss.....	James H. Amis
1900	Oct. 3	Chattanooga.....	D. A. Goodsell.....	James H. Amis
1901	Oct. 9	Morristown.....	J. W. Hamilton.....	James H. Amis
1902	Oct. 2	Maryville.....	J. M. Walden.....	James H. Amis
1903	Sept. 23	Knoxville.....	I. W. Joyce.....	James H. Amis
1904	Oct. 6	Newport.....	H. W. Warren.....	James H. Amis
1905	Oct. 11	Harriman.....	C. H. Fowler.....	Jas. J. Robinette
1906	Oct. 11	Greeneville.....	W. F. McDowell.....	Jas. J. Robinette
1907	Oct. 9	Knoxville.....	L. B. Wilson.....	Jas. J. Robinette
1908	Oct. 7	Johnson City.....	D. A. Goodsell.....	Burton M. Martin
1909	Oct. 20	Morristown.....	W. F. Anderson.....	Burton M. Martin
1910	Oct. 12	Athens.....	W. F. Anderson.....	Burton M. Martin
1911	Oct. 25	Knoxville, Trinity.....	W. F. Anderson.....	Burton M. Martin
1912	Oct. 23	Chattanooga.....	T. S. Henderson.....	Robt. L. Stapleton
1913	Oct. 15	Maryville.....	T. S. Henderson.....	Robt. L. Stapleton
1914	Oct. 21	Cleveland.....	T. S. Henderson.....	Robt. L. Stapleton
1915	Oct. 13	Athens.....	T. S. Henderson.....	Robt. L. Stapleton
1916	Oct. 11	Johnson City.....	F. M. Bristol.....	Robt. L. Stapleton
1917	Oct. 17	Morristown.....	F. M. Bristol.....	Robt. L. Stapleton
1918	Oct. 30	Chattanooga.....	F. M. Bristol.....	O. R. Tarwater
1919	Oct. 15	Knoxville.....	F. M. Bristol.....	O. R. Tarwater
1920	Oct. 13	Cleveland.....	F. M. Bristol.....	O. R. Tarwater
1921	Oct. 12	Elizabethton.....	E. G. Richardson.....	O. R. Tarwater
1922	Oct. 11	Rockwood.....	F. M. Bristol.....	O. R. Tarwater
1923	Oct. 10	Knoxville, 2nd Ch.....	F. M. Bristol.....	O. R. Tarwater
1924	Oct. 15	Jellico.....	W. P. Thirkield.....	O. R. Tarwater
1925	Oct. 14	Newport.....	H. Lester Smith.....	O. R. Tarwater

\*Elders elected to preside in absence of bishop.

In 1844 the great division occurred, and in 1845 the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was organized. Continuous activity in Holston Conference Methodist Episcopal Church was abandoned until the close of the Civil War. In 1865 the Holston Conference was re-organized at Athens, Tennessee, under the Presidency of Bishop David W. Clark.

## OUR SAINTED DEAD

"These all died in the faith, not having received the promises, but having seen them afar off, and were persuaded of them, and embraced them, and confessed that they were strangers and pilgrims on the earth."—Heb. 11:13.

Name	Born	Admitted Conf.	Died	Where Buried
John Tunnell	1755	1777—Virginia	July, 1790	Dew's Chapel, West Virginia
Moses Black	1769	1796—S. Carolina	Feb. 3, 1809	Abingdon, Virginia
Geo. Atkin		1817—Ohio	1827	
J. G. H. Spear		1821—Tennessee	1833	
Harvey B. Cumming		1829—Holston	1835	
John Henninger	Dec. 16, 1784	1807—Western	Dec. 23, 1838	Cleveland, Tennessee
Arnold Patton	Oct. 10, 1809	1829—Holston	Apr. 5, 1839	Lebanon, Russell County, Virginia
Jno. Craig		1807—Western	1840	
Mitchell Martin		1837—Holston	1840	Charleston, Tennessee
W. B. Murphy		1833—Holston	1842	
Ira Falls		1832—Holston	August, 1844	Kingsston, Tennessee
Willis Ingle	1798	1844—Holston	Oct. 29, 1867	Craig's Mill, Washington Co., Virginia
David Fleming	May 4, 1779	1824—Holston	Aug. 28, 1868	Kingsston, Tennessee
Jas. Cumming	Oct. 26, 1787	1820—Tennessee	June 20, 1870	Shilo, Sevier County, Tennessee
W. A. Marshall	April 12, 1819	1869—Holston	Sept. 29, 1871	Klontz Chapel, Clay Co., North Carolina
W. H. H. Duggan	July 3, 1815	1845—Holston	Aug. 11, 1872	Wilson Station, McMinn Co., Tennessee
Joseph Milburn	Jan. 23, 1800	1855—Holston	Jan. 18, 1873	Milburton, Greene County, Tennessee
Isaac Forkner	Dec. 25, 1790	1867—Holston	Apr. 7, 1873	Otis, Hawkins County, Tennessee
Jno. Leach		1826—Pittsburg	1873	
Robert Clark		1870—Holston	Aug. 9, 1873	
N. E. Cobleigh	Nov. 24, 1814	1844—N. England	Feb. 1, 1874	Atlanta, Georgia
Elijah Still	Sept. 4, 1805	1831—Holston	Apr. 12, 1875	Red Hill, Bradley County, Tennessee
Samuel Patterson		1868—Holston	Mar. 21, 1875	
M. H. P. Burkett	Jan. 11, 1811	1864—Kentucky	Nov. 12, 1875	Chatata, Bradley County, Tennessee
W. P. Fair		1870—Holston	Dec. 13, 1876	
Wm. Milburn	Sept. 16, 1797	1845—Holston	Sept. 22, 1877	
J. M. Adams	July 22, 1840	1866—Virginia	July 9, 1878	Pattonsville, Virginia
R. H. Guthrie	Mar. 27, 1820	1851—Holston	May 20, 1881	Harrison, Hamilton County, Tennessee

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Name	Born	Admitted Conf.	Died	Where Buried
G. W. Henninger.....	Feb. 2, 1851.....	1874—Holston.....	Apr. 23, 1881.....	Fanning's Chapel, Henderson Co, N. C.
Jno. Forrester.....	May 7, 1801.....	1861—Holston.....	Dec. 3, 1881.....	Burrville, Tennessee
Spencer Henry.....	Oct. 24, 1805.....	1868—Holston.....	June 3, 1883.....	Carpenter's, C.G., Blount Co., Tenn.
B. F. Wells.....	July 15, 1813.....	1838—Holston.....	May 16, 1884.....	Leicester, North Carolina
W. B. Ballinger.....	June 25, 1825.....	1852—Holston.....	Oct. 15, 1884.....	Chilkutt's Chapel, Bradley Co., Tenn.
J. R. Hughes.....	May 7, 1839.....	1867—Holston.....	May 13, 1886.....	Greenville, Tennessee
J. P. Milburn.....	Feb. 5, 1832.....	1861—Holston.....	Oct. 20, 1886.....	Milburnton, Greene County, Tennessee
Daniel Carter.....	Oct. 6, 1813.....	1865—Holston.....	Aug. 30, 1887.....	Carter's Cemetery, Jefferson Co., Tenn.
J. W. Holden.....	Oct. 29, 1858.....	1885—Holston.....	Sept. 18, 1887.....	Titusville, Florida
J. F. Morrison.....	Mar. 19, 1826.....	1869—Virginia.....	June 26, 1887.....	Locust Springs, Greene Co., Tennessee
N. G. Taylor.....	Dec. 29, 1819.....	1872—Holston.....	Apr. 1, 1887.....	Happy Valley, Carter County, Tennessee
Lemuel Bogart.....	Apr. 29, 1808.....	1866—Holston.....	May 3, 1888.....	Cumming's Chapel, Sevier Co., Tenn.
W. T. Jones.....	Feb. 27, 1861.....	1883—Holston.....	July 28, 1888.....	Rockwood, Tennessee
Moses Seaton.....	June 2, 1829.....	1857—Holston.....	Apr. 17, 1889.....	Cedar Grove, Greene County, Tennessee
Wm. M. Haskell.....	June 11, 1818.....	1844—Mississippi.....	Feb. 8, 1890.....	New Salem, Knox County, Tennessee
C. S. Long.....	Jan. 3, 1850.....	1875—Holston.....	Oct. 14, 1890.....	Athens, Tennessee
W. H. Rogers.....	Mar. 22, 1813.....	1832—Holston.....	Mar. 17, 1891.....	Cleveland, Tennessee
E. B. Clark.....	Oct. 10, 1830.....	1869—Holston.....	Apr. 3, 1891.....	Wesleyana, McMinn County, Tennessee
W. D. Smith.....	Jan. 28, 1832.....	1867—Georgia.....	July 4, 1892.....	Sugar Creek, Bradley County, Tennessee
G. M. Hicks.....	May 11, 1833.....	1862—Holston.....	July 17, 1893.....	Chestnee, Monroe County, Tennessee
H. J. Crumley.....	July 25, 1822.....	1869—Holston.....	Apr. 27, 1894.....	Pippin's Church, Washington Co., Va.
A. B. Wright.....	Nov. 3, 1826.....	1867—Holston.....	Nov. 9, 1893.....	Burrville, Tennessee
J. N. Penley.....	.....	1872—Virginia.....	1893.....	Dryden, Virginia
J. G. Grace.....	.....	1874—Virginia.....	1877.....	Bethel, Virginia
J. P. Morton.....	Aug. 26, 1855.....	1889—Holston.....	Sept. 15, 1894.....	Clinton, Tennessee
A. G. Watkins.....	May 5, 1818.....	1867—Holston.....	Nov. 9, 1895.....	Jefferson City, Tennessee
A. J. Greer.....	Dec. 18, 1832.....	1856—Holston.....	Nov. 20, 1895.....	New Tazewell, Tennessee
S. B. Scott.....	Nov. 3, 1829.....	1877—Holston.....	Jan. 6, 1896.....	Oliver Springs, Tennessee
W. C. Graves.....	Aug. 13, 1815.....	1834—Holston.....	Jan. 29, 1896.....	Morristown, Tennessee
E. L. Fillmore.....	June 11, 1864.....	1891—S. Dakota.....	Aug. 12, 1896.....	White Oak Cemetery, Chattanooga, Tenn.
D. B. Lawton.....	June 5, 1814.....	1836—B. River.....	May 12, 1896.....	Interlochin, Florida



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Name	Born	Admitted Conf.	Died	Where Buried
D. S. Hodsdon.	Feb. 28, 1848.	1875—Holston.	Dec. 25, 1896	Maryville, Tennessee
D. H. Jameson	May 26, 1869	1894—Holston	Jan. 20, 1897	Bowling Green, Ohio
Jno. W. Mann	Aug. 9, 1835	1857—Holston	May 30, 1897	South Knoxville, Tennessee
W. C. Dailey	Oct. 16, 1818	1843—Holston	June 27, 1897	South Knoxville, Tennessee
A. F. Creswell	Feb. 3, 1848	1875—Holston	June 10, 1897	Ebenezer, Jefferson County, Tennessee
Daniel Richardson	Sept. 11, 1832	1868—Holston	June 30, 1897	Straight Creek, Claiborne Co., Tennessee
Samuel Greer	Sept. 22, 1811	1867—Holston	Oct. 9, 1897	Scarboro, Tennessee
J. U. Davis	Mar. 4, 1876	1899—Holston	Feb. 11, 1900	Thorn Grove, Knox County, Tennessee
L. O. Crowder	Feb. 10, 1844	1870—Mississippi	Jan. 11, 1900	Spring Creek, Mississippi
P. H. Scaraborough.	Apr. 12, 1870	1899—Holston	Oct. 31, 1902	Concord, Tennessee
T. H. Russell	June 23, 1833	1859—Holston	Apr. 11, 1902	Sunbright, Tennessee
J. B. Fitzgerald	Sept. 26, 1826	1850—Holston	May 30, 1902	Chucky, Tennessee
P. H. Reed	Mar. 19, 1830	1853—Holston	May 6, 1904	Greeneville, Tennessee
J. E. Seaton	Dec. 28, 1831	1867—Holston	Apr. 8, 1905	Wildwood, Blount County, Tennessee
G. M. Stout	July 10, 1859	1892—Holston	Oct. 12, 1905	Andersonville, Tennessee
G. B. Cox	Dec. 20, 1848	1884—Holston	Nov. 27, 1905	Sulphur Springs, Washington Co., Tenn.
Geo. Julian	July 10, 1812	1868—Holston	Mar. 5, 1906	Tyner's Station, Tennessee
W. R. Long	Feb. 23, 1819	1844—Holston	May 23, 1906	Athens, Tennessee
Jno. C. Hodge	Aug. 16, 1847	1888—Holston	Aug. 23, 1906	Whitehorn, Tennessee
J. D. Lawson	Jan. 12, 1826	1868—Holston	Nov. 15, 1906	Wear's Valley, Sevier County, Tennessee
Wm. Kinsland	Sept. 26, 1836	1857—Holston	Aug. 9, 1907	Joppa, Grainger County, Tennessee
R. O. Ayers	Sept. 13, 1831	1864—Cincinnati	Oct. 7, 1907	Cedar Spring, McMinn County, Tennessee
Robt. Walker	Aug. 24, 1865	1897—Holston	Dec. 24, 1907	Wildwood, Blount County, Tennessee
T. G. Chase	Oct. 22, 1850	1873—Georgia	Feb. 10, 1908	Cleveland, Tennessee
G. W. Clendennen	Mar. 5, 1852	1889—Holston	May 26, 1908	Wildwood, Blount County, Tennessee
T. A. Cass	Jan. 13, 1836	1861—Holston	June 16, 1909	Cedar Springs, McMinn Co., Tennessee
J. E. Little	Feb. 7, 1826	1852—Holston	June 29, 1909	Fincastle, Campbell County, Tennessee
T. S. Walker	May 24, 1840	1861—Holston	June 30, 1909	Morristown, Tennessee
S. W. Hyden	Dec. 15, 1823	1861—Holston	Aug. 5, 1909	Maryville, Tennessee
T. D. Rowe	Sept. 11, 1876	1898—B. Ridge	Feb. 15, 1910	Roan Mountain, Tennessee
J. L. Cardwell	Sept. 20, 1832	1866—Holston	Oct. 20, 1910	Witt's Foundry, Hamblen Co., Tennessee

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Name	Born	Admitted Conf.	Died	Where Buried
J. S. Petty	June 24, 1838	1866—Holston	Feb. 4, 1911	National Cemetery, Chattanooga, Tenn.
P. H. Henry	Mar. 26, 1838	1878—Holston	June 25, 1911	Maryville, Tennessee
L. B. Caldwell	Jan. 10, 1834	1856—Bay Quinte	Nov. 14, 1911	Chattanooga, Tennessee
Jno. F. Spence	Feb. 8, 1828	1853—Cincinnati	June 24, 1912	Knoxville, Tennessee
J. F. Perry	Aug. 4, 1848	1872—Holston	Apr. 1, 1912	Pleasant Hill, Meigs County, Tennessee
I. A. Pearce	Jan. 1, 1839	1860—Pittsburgh	Apr. 5, 1912	Knoxville, Tennessee
W. C. Miller	Jan. 9, 1852	1882—Holston	June 18, 1912	Knoxville, Tennessee
M. A. Rule	Apr. 4, 1844	1875—Holston	Mar. 20, 1912	Beaver Ridge, Knox County, Tennessee
M. C. Robertson	Nov. 28, 1847	1879—Holston	June 18, 1912	Pigeon Forge, Sevier County, Tennessee
A. Y. Snavely	July 5, 1846	1889—Holston	Nov. 8, 1911	Well Spring, Tennessee
Thos. B. Russell	Nov. 22, 1854	1875—Holston	Oct. 11, 1912	Johnson City, Tennessee
Noble C. Burkhardt	Feb. 26, 1844	1887—Virginia	Jan. 7, 1914	Hubbard Springs, Virginia
John H. Jennings	Aug. 22, 1837	1869—Holston	Jan. 14, 1914	Washington County, Tennessee
G. T. Newcomb	July 14, 1847	1878—Michigan	Feb. 17, 1914	Chattanooga, Tennessee
R. A. Scott	Mar. 22, 1842	1872—Virginia	May 10, 1914	Hatcher's Cemetery, Roanoke Co., Va.
J. M. Durham	Nov. 1, 1842	1867—Holston	July 19, 1914	Knoxville, Tennessee
W. C. Halton	June 14, 1866	1901—B. Ridge	Oct. 1, 1914	Rockwood, Tennessee
J. N. Baker	Jan. 10, 1839	1869—Holston	Oct. 8, 1914	Fall Branch, Tennessee
S. D. Tuttle	Sept. 17, 1866	1897—Georgia	July 26, 1915	Dayton, Tennessee
J. J. Manker	Dec. 24, 1839	1866—Holston	May 16, 1916	Chattanooga, Tennessee
Benjamin Crist		1853—Wisconsin	Jan. 1916	Millarstown, Pa.
James A. Ruble	Nov. 4, 1844	1866—Holston	Oct. 29, 1916	Maryville, Tennessee
James B. Keister	Apr. 19, 1844	1892—Virginia	Dec. 17, 1916	Roanoke, Virginia
Isaac N. Pippin	June 26, 1847	1883—Virginia	Apr. 24, 1917	Pippin Cemetery, Virginia
Thomas R. West	Sept. 3, 1838	1861—Holston	May 1, 1917	Athens, Tennessee
Adam C. Peters	Nov. 6, 1843	1872—Holston	May 31, 1917	Burville, Tennessee
James A. Baker	Dec. 25, 1853	1879—Holston	Sept. 6, 1917	Knoxville, Tennessee
F. M. Cones	Nov. 17, 1832	1875—Holston	Sept. 26, 1917	Old Cemetery, Thornton, Ind.
James M. Newton	Apr. 14, 1838	1881—Virginia	Oct. 4, 1918	Gate City, Virginia
Giles A. Conner	Mar. 29, 1842	—Virginia	Nov. 10, 1918	Piedmont Cemetery, Oty, Virginia
W. A. Martin	May 19, 1869	1893—Georgia	June 22, 1920	Mt. Zion, Georgia

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Name	Born	Admitted Conf.	Died	Where Buried
A. G. Cadle	Mar. 17, 1851	1886—Holston	Jan. 5, 1920	Hurst Cemetery, Middlesboro, Kentucky
J. H. Stevenson	Apr. 16, 1860	1916—Troy	Dec. 20, 1919	Mt. Olivet, Nashville, Tennessee
Alwyn Atkins	Aug. 5, 1890		Mar. 22, 1921	Oak Grove Cemetery, Fall River, Mass.
William V. Elliott	Dec. 15, 1841	1881—Virginia	Apr. 10, 1922	Mt. Pleasant, Virginia
Jasper N. Sadler	Jan. 3, 1879	1913—Holston	Sept. 22, 1922	White Oak Cem'try, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Robert E. Ayers	May 23, 1874	1901—Holston	Nov. 27, 1921	Cedar Springs, McMinn Co., Tennessee
John C. Harmon	Feb. 21, 1855	1889—Holston	Feb. 2, 1923	Union Cemetery, Newport, Tennessee
W. W. Hooper	Oct. 18, 1843	1890—Holston	Feb. 23, 1923	Chattanooga, Tennessee
G. H. Thomson	Apr. 15, 1845	1876—Virginia	Feb. 25, 1923	Smith's Chapel, Simpson, Virginia
T. H. Hodge	Sept. 27, 1848	1874—Holston	Apr. 4, 1923	Monte Vista, Johnson City, Tennessee
H. B. Ogle	Jan. 28, 1848	1888—Holston	June 27, 1923	Middle Creek, Sevier County, Tennessee
William R. Byerly	July 12, 1856	1881—Holston	Feb. 21, 1924	Baileytown, Tennessee
Burton M. Martin	Oct. 15, 1866	1894—Holston	May 30, 1924	Forest Hill Cemetery, Chattanooga, Tenn.
N. K. Rowe	May 3, 1868	1911—Holston	Apr. 30, 1925	Unicoi County, Tennessee
John Sanders	Apr. 22, 1867	1901—Holston	Dec. 17, 1924	Magnolia Cemetery, Maryville, Tennessee



JOHN SANDERS  
(Deceased)







## MEMOIRS

### MRS. T. G. CHASE

Mrs. Sophia S. Chase was born near Ellijoy, Ga., Sept. 14, 1849. She was married to the Rev. T. G. Chase March 22, 1881. After a brief illness Mrs. Chase died in Cleveland, Tenn., Aug. 13, 1925.

The deceased was a devout Christian, a loving wife, and an ideal stepmother. For twenty-one years she was a faithful and loyal member of the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Cleveland, Tenn., and those who knew her best loved her best.

The funeral services were conducted in the church of which she was a member, by her pastor, Rev. Walter A. Smith, assisted by Dr. G. W. Coleman, for many years a special friend of the family.

Mrs. Chase was laid to rest beside her husband in Forthill Cemetery, Cleveland, Tenn.

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### JOHN SANDERS

Rev. John Sanders was born in Union County, Tennessee, April 22, 1867, and died at Maryville, Tenn., Dec. 17, 1924. He was fifty-seven years, seven months and twenty-five days of age when he was called to his heavenly reward.

He was happily married to Miss Louise Jones Jan. 20, 1886. His faithful wife shared with him the trials and hardships of the Methodist ministry.

He entered Murphy College in Sevierville, Tenn., in 1895 and remained there for three years. After leaving college he entered the Holston annual conference. The minutes say: Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1901; full membership, 1904; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1904; Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1906. He was ordained Deacon at Newport and Elder at Greeneville, Tenn.

He served the following charges: Daisy, 1901; Graysville, 1902-5; Whitewell, 1905-06; Daisy, 1906-7; Maryville Circuit, 1908-14; Townsend and Walland, 1915; Inskip, 1916-18; Lonsdale, 1919-21; Conference Evangelist, 1922; West Maryville, 1923; Sy, 1924.

He left school and entered upon the Conference course of study and graduated from this course and became a very efficient minister of Jesus Christ. He soon developed into a very strong evangelistic per-

sonality, hence his labors were always blessed with revivals. He can number his own converts by the hundreds. He was a fine preacher in revival campaigns. He did his work well.

He made many personal friends wherever he labored. The last two or three years of his life he was not very strong. He ran for the office of Trustee of Blount County, 1923, and was elected by a large majority, but was so ill that he never entered his office after having been elected.

His funeral services were conducted by the Rev. G. T. Byrd, Dr. G. T. Francisco and Rev. S. P. Angel in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Maryville, Tenn., Dec. 18, 1924. He was buried in the Magnolia Cemetery, Maryville, Tenn.

He is survived by his widow and two brothers, Rev. Press Sanders and . He was a faithful gospel minister. He loved to sing the "Old Rugged Cross" and "The City Four Square." He has entered into that everlasting rest that remains for the people of God.

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### MRS. S. G. KETRON

Mrs. Fannie A. Smith Ketron was born July 30, 1864, died May 10, 1925. Mrs. Ketron professed faith in Christ at Kingsley Seminary in November, 1878, and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, in which she lived a loyal and consistent member until she was called to the church triumphant.

She was married to the Rev. Samuel G. Ketron February 1, 1883, and to this union two sons were born, Ekron P. and Marshall L. Ketron. The husband, the two sons, five grandchildren, two sisters, two brothers survive to mourn their incalculable loss.

Sister Ketron was confirmed in her convictions that religion should show itself both in conduct and profession. She had but little patience for religious shams; but firmly believed in a religion that brushed aside all hypocrisy and ripened into wholesome service for mankind. This she emphasized by her unselfish service for others. Having reared her own two sons to manhood, she adopted a little homeless two-year-old girl and reared her to womanhood, carefully guarding her against the social wiles of the day. When her son Marshall's wife died leaving three little helpless children, with no woman hand to guide them and no mother heart to love them, she took them to her own bosom and tenderly cared for them until the end came. The one desire of her heart was to live long enough to see them large enough to care for themselves, but it was willed otherwise.

As a Methodist preacher's wife for forty-two years she saw her share of the toil and cares incident to a minister's wife in the caring for the home and aiding in the spiritual and material work of the church. She conceived the idea that the community in which her home was located needed a church, she set about to collect the money with which to build a church, paying largely herself to it, and the

Vermont church stands a monument to her faith and labor. Only the coming years can measure her sacrificial life.

Her funeral was conducted by the Rev. I. B. Leonard, assisted by the local ministers of Kingsport, and her body was laid to rest in the New Cemetery of Kingsport, and her spirit is pillowed in the bosom of the Father of All the Earth.

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### REV. NATHANIEL K. ROWE

The Rev. Nathaniel K. Rowe, son of L. D. and Rachel Rowe, was born in Unicoi County, Tennessee, May 3, 1868. He passed to his eternal rest from his home at Chuckey, Tenn., on April 30, 1925, lacking but three days of his fifty-seventh anniversary.


He began his life work as a teacher in his native county and continued in this work for fifteen years. He was a graduate of Lexington University and was an eminently successful teacher, being one of the leaders of the profession in his county.

He was twice married. His first wife, Miss Delia Price, died a few years after their marriage, having borne him three children, two of whom, Herman J. Rowe, Pocomoke City, Md., and Mrs. H. L. Keesecker, Erwin, Tenn., survive him. In 1900 he was married to Miss Mary E. McLaughlin and to this union were born three children, Mrs. Carl Fitzgerald, Greeneville, Tenn., Walter and Theodore Rowe, both of Chuckey, Tenn.

Under a deep conviction of the call of God he entered the ministry, joining the Holston Conference in 1911. He was admitted into full connection and ordained Elder by Bishop Henderson in 1913. He served Bloomingdale, Fall Branch, Baileyton, Parrottsville, Athens, Chuckey and Morristown Circuits with splendid success. He denounced sin with the courage of a Daniel but loved the sinner with a love kin to that of Jesus.

His was a sacrificial ministry. Others left their gifts before the altar, he placed himself upon the altar. The last four years of his ministry was greatly hindered by a mysterious illness that preyed upon his physical strength until he was sometimes unable to stand in the pulpit during the whole time of the sermon. He would not give up until the last session of the annual conference he reluctantly agreed to a year's rest.

The end came suddenly but not unexpected. He expressed a willing resignation to the will of God and was in great peace. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. W. K. Harris of Greeneville at the old home near Unicoi. His aged mother, scores of relatives and a host of sympathetic friends estimated at one thousand people were in attendance. The body was laid to rest in the beautiful little cemetery on the hilltop near his early home under the solemn and impressive ceremonies of the Masonic fraternity.



## CONFERENCE RULES

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1. No person shall absent himself from the sessions of the conference without leave, unless he be sick or otherwise unable to attend.

2. The Secretary shall keep a journal of the conference proceedings, which he shall cause to be published in the Annual Journal of the conference, and it shall be the official journal. He shall edit the minutes and all matter for publication, and shall make contracts for the printing of the journal as in his judgment may seem best. He shall have charge of the journal and conference files, and forward them to the place of meeting of the annual conference each year.

3. All committees whose reports are to be printed in the journal shall present their reports to the secretary in writing, otherwise the committee on publication is not required to insert such reports in the journal.

4. All candidates for admission on trial, for admission into full membership, for admission on credentials from other churches, for re-admission, and for recognition of orders, shall be required to appear before the Committee on Conference Relations and the Board of Examiners, and to furnish such information as may be required touching their general character and their qualifications for the ministry.

5. All cases involving a change in conference relations or withdrawal shall be referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

6. Widows of deceased ministers who have ever traveled with their husbands may be temporary claimants, and may be referred to the board of stewards, who shall decide each case from year to year.

7. The chairman of the board of stewards shall be *ex officio* one of the assistant secretaries of the conference for secretarial work in connection with conference claimants, and shall be the last member of the Committee on Memoirs.

8. The memorial service for deceased members, and for the wives of deceased members, shall be the special order for conference Sunday afternoon following the ordination service.

9. Conference visitors shall be allowed 10 minutes in which to address the conference. District Superintendents' reports shall be limited to 15 minutes, and reports of committees, except the board of stewards, to five minutes.

10. All applications for special collections to be apportioned to the charges in the conference shall be referred to the Committee on Special Collections.



11. There shall be elected each year a Nominating Committee, consisting of three members, which committee shall nominate the Standing Committees and the Committee on Nominations for the ensuing session. No member of the Nominating Committee shall be eligible for consecutive re-election to this committee.

12. When a resolution has been introduced by a member, before the person who introduced the resolution shall speak, the question of consideration may be raised by a member saying, "Mr. President, on that I raise the question of consideration." The question of consideration shall then be put without debate, and if there is two-third vote against the consideration, the resolution shall not be entertained; but if consideration be not denied, the member introducing it may speak to the resolution if it be seconded.

13. The standing committees confirmed each year by the conference shall be as follows: 1. American Bible Society; 2. Auditing; 3. Church Literature; 4. Conference Claimants; 5. Conference Relations; 6. Deaconess Work; 7. District Conference Records; 8. Education; 9. Epworth League; 10. Foreign Missions; 11. Freedman's Aid Society; 12. Home Missions and Church Extension; 13. Memoirs; 14. Nominations; 15. Public Worship; 16. Resolutions; 17. Sabbath Observance; 18. Sunday Schools; 19. State of Church; 20. Special Collections; 22. Temperance; 23. Book Concern Accounts.

## RULES OF ORDER

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1. The conference shall meet at 8:30 a.m., spending 30 minutes in devotional exercises, and adjourn at 11:45 a.m.

2. The president shall decide all questions of order, subject to appeal to the conference, and in case of appeal from the decision of the chair the question shall be put without debate.

3. The president shall appoint all committees not otherwise provided for by the conference or the discipline, but any member may decline serving on more than one committee at a time.

4. All motions and resolutions introduced by any member shall be reduced to writing, if the president, secretary, or any member requests it.

5. No motion shall be considered unless it has been seconded.

6. A motion to adjourn shall be in order at any time, and shall be decided without debate.

7. When a motion, resolution, or report has been read by the secretary, or stated by the president, it shall be deemed in possession of the conference, but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before decision or amendment.

8. No resolution or motion shall be made until the one under consideration has been disposed of, which may be done by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following should intervene, which motions shall have precedence in the following order: The previous question, indefinite postponement, laying on the table, reference to a committee, postponement to a given time, amendment or substitution.

9. When any motion or resolution shall have passed, it shall be in order for any member who voted in the affirmative, to move a reconsideration. The motion to re-consider shall be taken without debate.

10. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar of the conference when said question is put by the chairman, except by leave of the conference.

11. Every member who is within the bar of the conference at the time a question is put shall give in his vote thereon, unless the conference for a special reason shall excuse him.

12. When any member is about to speak, in debate, or deliver any matter to the conference, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address the chairman.

13. No person shall speak more than twice on the same subject, nor more than five minutes at any one time, without special leave of the conference, and no person shall speak more than once until every other member desiring to speak shall have done so.

14. No member shall be interrupted while speaking except by the chairman to call him to order, when he departs from the question, or uses personalities or disrespectful language, but any member may call attention of the chairman to the subject when he considers the speaker out of order, or any other member may explain when he thinks himself misrepresented.

15. It shall be in order to move that the question be taken without further debate, on any measure pending before the conference, except in case where character or conference relations are involved, and if sustained by a two-thirds vote, the question shall then be put.

16. No motion, resolution, or report shall be laid on the table until the member introducing such motion, resolution, or report has been allowed to speak on the subject.

17. It shall require a majority vote to sustain the call for the yeas and nays.

18. The motion to adjourn, to suspend the rules, to lay on the table, to take from the table, and the call for the previous question shall be put without debate.

19. It shall require a two-thirds vote of the members present to suspend these rules.

## CONFERENCE DIRECTORY

Those marked (a) were absent during the session; \*Effective; ‡Supernumerary; §Retired; †Elected to the Episcopacy, May, 1912.

No.	NAME	POSTOFFICE
1.	§Amis, J. H.....	2230 Garfield Ave., Monterey Park, Cal.
2.	§Angel, S. P.....	South Knoxville, Tenn.
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5.	§Bandy, W. S. (a).....	St. Charles, Va.
6.	*Bellamy, C. V.....	Harriman, Tenn.
7.	*Bird, J. T.....	Sevierville, Tenn.
8.	*Bishop E. A. (a).....	Sevierville, Tenn.
9.	*Boling, J. W.....	Greenville, Tenn.
10.	*Bornman, C. J.....	Sevierville, R.F.D., Tenn.
11.	*Bowyer, E. L.....	Glenford, Va.
12.	*Boyd, E. M.....	Clinton, Tenn.
13.	*Briggs, Charles A.....	Chattanooga, Tenn.
14.	*Brown, A. A.....	University of Chattanooga, Chattanooga, Tenn.
15.	§Brown, T. W. (a).....	Morristown, Tenn.
16.	*Broyles, P. R. (a).....	R. No. 1, Pikeville, Tenn.
17.	*Broyles, J. W.....	Newport, Tenn.
18.	*Branam, E. R.....	Dayton, Tenn.
19.	§Bruner, M. C.....	LaFollette, Tenn.
20.	*Bull, W. M.....	R. No. 3, New Market, Tenn.
21.	*Burnett, J. S.....	Chattanooga, Tenn.
22.	*Byrd, H. G.....	Dayton, Tenn.
23.	*Byrd, G. T.....	Maryville, Tenn.
24.	*Cardwell, N. H.....	Morristown, Tenn.
25.	*Cardwell, J. W.....	Lenoir City, Tenn.
26.	*Carey, Frank H.....	Etowah, Tenn.
27.	*Cloncy, P. L.....	Oliver Springs, Tenn.
28.	*Coldwell, J. F.....	Athens, Tenn.
29.	*Coffee, W. H. (a).....	R.F.D., Cleveland, Tenn.
30.	§Coleman, G. W. (a).....	Cleveland, Tenn.
31.	*Conner, N. A.....	Christianburg, Va.
32.	*Conner, T. H. (a).....	Greenville, Tenn.
33.	†Cooke, R. J.....	Athens, Tenn.
34.	*Cooper, D. B.....	Pennington Gap, Va.
35.	*Creswell, G. J.....	114 Cowan St., Knoxville, Tenn.
36.	*Cox, J. O.....	R.F.D., Sevierville, Tenn.
37.	*Cox, I. L.....	Nicklesville, Va.
38.	Crowder, I. G.....	Booner Pat, Va.



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39.	§Crumley, T. J. (a)	Cor. Pearl St. and Fairmont Ave., Bristol, Va.
40.	*Cupp, J. L.	St. Charles, Va.
41.	*Curtis, W. R.	Athens, Tenn.
42.	*Davenport, M. N.	R.F.D., Fordtown, Tenn.
43.	*Dew, J. M.	Inskip, Tenn.
44.	*Dobbs, Cicero	Elizabethton, Tenn.
45.	*Dye, W. M.	Etowah, Tenn.
46.	*Eblen, S. N.	Graysville, Tenn.
47.	*Ely, C. H.	Fountain City, Tenn.
48.	*Elzey, R. C.	Lenoir City, Tenn.
49.	*Emert, J. M.	Athens, Tenn.
50.	§Ferguson, E. C. (a)	Athens, Tenn.
51.	*Ford, J. H.	Roanoke, Va.
52.	*Francisco, G. T.	R. 13, Knoxville, Tenn.
53.	*Gambill, James M.	Wytheville, Va.
54.	§Giles, J. F. (a)	Athens, Tenn.
55.	*Gillespie, E. G.	R.F.D., Jonesboro, Tenn.
56.	*Greer, W. M.	Kingsport, Tenn.
57.	*Goodman, T. E.	Surgoinsville, Tenn.
58.	§Grant, W. S.	Inskip, Tenn.
59.	*Graybeal, W. A.	Gate City, Va.
60.	*Hamil, L. D.	N. Chattanooga, Tenn.
61.	*Hampton, J. M.	Jellico, Tenn.
62.	*Harris, J. D.	Baxter, Tenn.
63.	*Harris, W. K.	Bristol, Tenn.
64.	*Hawk, H. M.	307 Morrow Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.
65.	*Hopper, S. A.	Telford, Tenn.
66.	§Houchins, C. D. (a)	Wauneta, Kan.
67.	*Howell, D. L. (a)	Mountain City, Tenn.
68.	*Huff, R. M.	R.F.D., Sevierville, Tenn.
69.	§Ingle, A. H. (a)	Benhams, Va.
70.	*Jenkins, Dewey	Dandridge, Tenn.
71.	§Ketron, S. G.	Kingsport, Tenn.
72.	*Ketron, A. C. (a)	Athens, Tenn.
73.	*Kilburn, R. A.	Athens, Tenn.
74.	*Kilgore, L. E.	Coalmont, Tenn.
75.	*Kirby, Chas. L.	R.F.D., Sevierville, Tenn.
76.	§Lawson, D. T. (a)	R.F.D., Greeneville, Tenn.
77.	*Lawson, O. A.	Limestone, Tenn.
78.	*Leonard, I. B.	Greeneville, Tenn.
79.	§Leslie, R. L.	R.F.D., No. 1, Knoxville, Tenn.
80.	*Lucas, C. F.	E. Chattanooga, Tenn.
81.	*Lynch, J. F.	Oneida, Tenn.
82.	*Marshall, T. O.	Loudon, Tenn.
83.	*Martin, W. C.	1017 Oak Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.
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85.	§McGee, J. W. (a)	Woodward, Okla.
86.	§McKenzie, H. W.	Pattonville, Va.
87.	*McKenzie, A. B.	Lenoir City, Tenn.

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88.	*McNees, Solon.....	Alcoa, Tenn.
89.	*Milburn, J. E.....	Birmingham, Ala.
90.	*Melear, J. M.....	Athens, Tenn.
91.	*Melton, O. C.....	Salem, Va.
92.	*Millard, R. M.....	Knoxville, Tenn.
93.	§Miller, Chas. W.(a).....	LaFollette, Tenn.
94.	*Mitchell, J. A.....	Knoxville, Tenn.
95.	§Monroe, M. H.(a).....	Andersonville, Tenn.
96.	*Moore, M. M.....	R.F.D., Knoxville, Tenn.
97.	*Morrison, B. M.....	Chattanooga, Tenn.
98.	*Murphy, M. P.....	1810 Bailey Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn.
99.	*Myers, J. H.....	Crossville, Tenn.
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101.	†Newton, W. H.....	Kingston, Tenn.
102.	*Ogle, E. H.....	Townsend, Tenn.
103.	*Oliver, Wm. L.....	Johnson City, Tenn.
104.	§Osborne, James(a).....	Graysville, Tenn.
105.	*Peters, T. V.(a).....	Burrville, Tenn.
106.	†Pippin, E. M.....	Baker Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.
107.	*Pitts, Wm. F.....	Knoxville, Tenn.
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111.	*Roach, T. H.....	South Pittsburg, Tenn.
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113.	§Robinette, J. J.....	2015 Rose Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.
114.	§Roberson, J. D.(a).....	Loudon, Tenn.
115.	§Rominger, L. A.(a).....	Cleveland, Tenn.
116.	§Rose, A. M.....	R.F.D., Mooresburg, Tenn.
117.	§Rowan, G. R.....	Athens, Tenn.
118.	*Rowe, J. F.....	Harriman, Tenn.
119.	§Rumberg, J. K.(a).....	R.F.D. No. 1, Terry's Fork, Va.
120.	§Sadler, C. N.(a).....	Arthur, Tenn.
121.	*Sanders, F. P.....	Maryville, Tenn.
122.	*Shupe, G. L.....	Riner, Va.
123.	*Sivils, M. L.....	R.F.D., LaFollette, Tenn.
124.	*Slagle, D. C.....	Mountain City, Tenn.
125.	*Smith, W. A.....	Cleveland, Tenn.
126.	*Stapleton, R. L.....	1905 Bailey Ave., Chattanooga, Tenn.
127.	§Strange, J. S. (a).....	Fountain City, Tenn.
128.	*S. E. Stringham.....	E. Chattanooga, Tenn.
129.	*Tarwater, C. B.....	Knoxville, Tenn.
130.	*Tarwater, O. R.....	Johnson City, Tenn.
131.	*Taylor, C. H.....	Oakdale, Tenn.
132.	§Torrey, H. M.(a).....	Andersonville, Tenn.
133.	§Thurston, E. C.(a).....	Dayton, Tenn.
134.	†Treuschel, W. H.(a).....	Knoxville, Tenn.
135.	*Walker, R. E.....	Parrottsville, Tenn.

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143.	*Williamson, H. G.....	Chattanooga, Tenn.
144.	*Winslow, W. C.....	Mosheim, Tenn.
145.	*Wrenn, C. G.(a).....	Athens, Tenn.
146.	*Young, H. H.(a).....	University of Puget Sound, Seattle, Wash.

## PROBATIONERS

1.	Ball, James M.....	
2.	Bishop, William E.....	72 Mt. Vernon St., Boston, Mass.
3.	Daniel, William C.....	Soddy, Tenn.
4.	Goss, Moses F.....	Pigeon Forge, Tenn.
5.	Johnson, Willis H.....	Fries, Va.
6.	Melton, O. C.....	Salem, Va.
7.	Nichols, Otha C.....	LaFollette, Tenn.
8.	Price, Jesse P.....	Jefferson City, Tenn.
9.	Russell, Walter L.....	R.F.D., Dandridge, Tenn.
10.	Spessard, David A.....	Andersonville, Tenn.
11.	Trentham, Eulys C.....	Radford, Va.

## ADMISSION, CONFERENCE ADVANCEMENT AND MINISTERIAL SERVICE

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AMIS, JAMES H.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1875; full membership, 1877; located, 1877; re-admitted, 1880; ordained Deacon by Bishop Harris, 1877; Elder by Bishop Simpson, 1882. Holston: 1875, Sneedville; 1876, Maynardville; 1877-79, Student

East Tennessee Wesleyan University, Athens; 1880, Sneedville; 1881-82, Tazewell; 1883, Jellico; 1884-6, Fincastle; 1887, Greeneville; 1888-89, Rogersville; 1890-91, Andersonville; 1892-95, Jellico; 1896-99, Clinton; 1900-1, Athens; 1902-3, Ducktown; 1904, Niota; 1905, (Sy.), Supply. So. California Conference: Randspur, California; 1906, Randsburg; 1907-8, Olinda; 1909, Portersville; 1910, retired; 1910-12, Lancaster, California; 1913, McKittrick, California; 1914, (Sy.), retired 1915.

ANGEL, SAMUEL P.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1900; full membership, 1902; ordained Deacon by Bishop Goodsell, 1900; Elder by Bishop Warren, 1904.

Holston: Epworth as Supply latter part of 1899 and 1900; Whitwell, 1900-3; Daisy, 1904; Graysville, 1905-6; Athens Ct., 1907-8; Lenoir City, 1909; retired, 1910; filled out half of 1910 at Inskip; effective New Salem, 1911; Inskip, 1912-13; Asbury and Elm Grove, 1914; closed year on Friendsville Ct., 1915; Friendsville, 1916-17; Jones Chapel, 1918; retired, 1920.

BAKER, T. R.—Admitted on trial, Georgia Conference, 1902; full membership, 1904; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foss, 1902; Elder by Bishop Cranston, 1906.

Georgia: Dunagan and Simpson, 1904-5; Rock Springs, 1906-7; Union Hill, 1908; Ellijay, 1909-10. Holston: Daisy, 1911; Pikeville, 1912; Dayton, 1913-15; Englewood, 1916-17; retired, 1918.

BALES, GEO. S.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1900; full membership, 1902; ordained Deacon by Bishop Hamilton, 1901; Elder by Bishop Warren, 1904.

Holston: Supply Rogersville, 1900; Parrottsville, 1900; Elizabethton, 1901; Mountain City, 1902-4; Greeneville District, 1905-10; Harriman, 1911; Pennington, 1912; Knoxville, East Main Ave., 1913-16; Ridgedale, 1917; Avondale, 1919; Alton Park, 1921-22; South Pittsburg, 1923; Clinton, 1924; Byington, 1925.

BANDY, WILLIAM S.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1894; full membership, 1896; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foster, 1894; Elder by Bishop Vincent, 1898.

Holston: Fall Branch, 1894-95; Rogersville, 1896-7; Surgoinville, 1898-99; Greeneville Circuit, 1900-03; Chuckey, 1904-6; Dandridge, 1907-8; Greeneville Circuit, 1909; Nickelsville, 1910-11; Chestnut Hill, 1912-13; Morristown Circuit, 1914-15; Baileyston, 1916; Surgoinville, 1917; year for rest and study, 1918; retired, 1919.

**BELLAMY, CLAUDE V.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1910; full membership, 1915; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1915; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1918.

Holston: East Cleveland, 1910; Sunbright, 1911; Oliver Springs, 1912; Crossville, 1913-14; Friendsville, 1915; Roanoke, 1916-17; Manker Memorial, 1918-19; Clinton, 1920; Oakdale, 1921; Conference Evangelist, 1922; Harriman, 1923; Conference Evangelist, 1924.

**BIRD, JAMES T.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1904; full membership, 1906; ordained Deacon by Bishop McDowell, 1906; Elder by Bishop Anderson, 1909.

Holston: Supply Tracy City, 1902-5; Jasper, 1905-8; Chattanooga, 1909; Loudon, 1910; Inglewood, 1911; Knoxville Circuit, 1912-14; Sy., 1915; Asbury and South Knoxville, 1916-17; Maryville Circuit, 1918-21; Lenoir City, 1922-24; Sevierville, 1925.

**BISHOP, ELWELL A.**—Vermont Conference; Deacon, 1893; Erie Conference, Elder, 1898.

Principal Montpelier Seminary, 1881-93; President Chamberlain Institute, 1893-1902; McKean, Pa., 1902; Supt. Ferris, Ind., School, 1903; Vermont Conference, Principal Montpelier Seminary, 1904-12; Holston: President Murphy Collegiate Institute, 1912.

**BOLING, JAMES WILLIAM.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1899; full membership, 1901; ordained Deacon by Bishop Hamilton, 1901; Elder by Bishop Joyce, 1903.

Holston: Student, University of Chattanooga, 1897-1900; Franklin College, New Athens, Ohio, 1900-1; Jasper, 1901; Crossville, 1902-3; Dayton, 1904; Sevierville, 1905; Greeneville, 1906-7; East Chattanooga, 1908; Maryville, 1909-10; Jellico, 1911-13; St. James, 1914-16; Knoxville, East Main Ave., 1917; Athens, 1918; Harri-man District, 1919; Knoxville District, 1920-24; Greeneville, 1925.

**BORNMAN, CHARLES JOHN**—Holston: 1923; Pittman Center, 1923.

**BOYD, ELBERT M.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1914; full membership, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1916; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1923.

Holston: Decatur, 1914; Oakwood, 1915; Knoxville Circuit, 1916; LaFollette, 1917-19; Gatliff, 1920; Jacksboro and Gatliff, 1921; Newcomb, 1922-23; Byington, 1924; Clinton, 1925.



BOWYER, E. L.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1918; full membership, 1921; ordained Deacon by Bishop E. G. Richardson, 1921.

Fries, 1918-19; Floyd, 1921-22; Wytheville, 1923-24; Glenford, 1925.

BRANAM, E. R.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1903; full membership, 1905; ordained Deacon by Bishop Fowler, 1905; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1920.

Holston: Chestnut Hill, 1903-4; Little River, 1905-8; Jefferson City and Dandridge, 1909-10; Chestnut Hill, 1911; Oakwood, 1912-14; Alton Park, 1915; Oakwood, 1916; Whittle Springs, 1917-18; granted year for rest, 1919; Inskip, 1920-21; Oakdale, 1922-24; Dayton, 1925.

BRIGGS, CHARLES A.—Holston, 1925; First Church, Chattanooga, 1925.

BROWN, ARLO A.—1907-08, Madison Avenue (Associate); 1909-11, Mount Hope, N. Y.; 1912, Agent for Board of Foreign Missions at Jerusalem; 1913, Secretary Newark District Church Society; 1914-21, Superintendent Teacher Training, Board of Sunday Schools; 1921, President of the University of Chattanooga.

BROWN, THOS. W.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1868; full membership, 1870; ordained Deacon by Bishop Scott, 1870; Elder by Bishop Scott, 1876.

Holston: Supply Hamilton, 1867; Ducktown, 1868; Harrison, 1869-71; Madisonville, 1872; student Grant University, 1872-75; Kingston, 1875; Henderson, N. C., 1876-77; Leicester, 1878; Pigeon Valley, 1879; Parrottsville, 1885; Morristown Circuit, 1886. Blue Ridge Conference: Clyde, 1886; Clyde District, 1887-93; Gladstone District, 1893-96.

Holston: Tazewell, 1897; Rutledge, 1898-99; Thorn Grove, 1900; Dandridge, 1901; Newport Circuit, 1902; Rogersville, 1903; Rutledge, 1904; Big Valley, 1905; retired, 1906; Supply Friendsville, 1908; Inglewood, 1909; Inskip and Elm Grove, 1910; Jasper, 1911, retired.

BROYLES, J. W.—Admitted on trial Holston Conference, 1923; full membership, 1925; ordained Deacon by Bishop Francis J. McConnell, New England Conference, 1922; Elder by Bishop H. Lester Smith, Holston Conference, 1925.

Dayton, 1917; Daisy and Red Bank, 1918; Elizabethton, 1923; Newport, 1924.

BROYLES, PATTON R.—Holston, 1923; Baileyton and Whitehorn, 1923; Patten Community Center, 1924; Assistant Pastor, Barrville, 1925.

BRUNNER, MARION C.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1881; full membership, 1883; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bowman, 1883; Elder by Bishop Hurst, 1885. ,

Holston: Warrburg, 1881; Jasper, 1882-83; Dayton, 1884-85; Sy., 1886-88; Spring City, 1889; Sherman Heights, 1890; Hill City, 1891; Athens District, 1892-94; Loudon, 1895; Kingston, 1896; Athens Circuit, 1897-1902; Elizabethton, 1903; Clinton, 1904-5; Sevierville, 1906-7; Lonsdale, 1908-9; Newport, 1910-12; Lenoir City, 1913; Tellico Plains and Englewood, 1914; Englewood, 1915; Townsend and Walland, 1916; Jones Chapel, 1917; Asbury and South Knoxville, 1918-19; Townsend and Walland, 1920; LaFollette, 1921; retired, 1922; supply New Tazewell, 1923; Supply, LaFollette, 1924.

BULL, WILLIAM M.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1906; full membership, 1909; ordained Deacon by Bishop Anderson, 1909; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1914.

Holston: Pigeon Forge, 1906-13; Chestnut Hill, 1914-16; Dandridge, 1917-23; Thorn Grove, 1924.

BURNETT, JOHN S.—Admitted on trial, Blue Ridge Conference, 1888; full membership, 1890; ordained Deacon by Bishop Joyce, 1890; Elder by Bishop Foss, 1892.

Blue Ridge: Supply, 1888; Highland, 1889; Swansboro, 1890; Winston, 1890-95; Moorehead City District, 1896; Gladstone District, 1897-98; student, Grant University, 1899-1901. Holston: Hill City, 1899-1901; Chattanooga District, 1901-6; Athens District, 1907-10; Knoxville District, 1911-13; Financial Agent, University of Chattanooga, 1914; Superintendent Southern Highlands Division, Board Home Missions and Church Extension, 1919.

BYRD, GEO. T.—Admitted on trial, Georgia Conference, 1893; full membership, 1896; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foster, 1896; Elder by Bishop McCabe, 1897.

Georgia: Blairsville, 1893; Dawsonville, 1894-5; Jonesboro, 1896; Dunagan, 1897; Grant University, 1897-98; Wesley Chapel at Atlanta, 1899-1901. Holston: Rockwood, 1902-03; South Pittsburgh, 1904; Newport, 1905-07; Sevierville, 1908-09; Roanoke, 1911-12; Etowah, 1913-16; Bristol, 1917-23; Maryville, 1924.

BYRD, HOWARD G.—Holston, full membership, 1923; Dayton, 1923-24; left without appointment to attend school, 1925.

CARDWELL, J. W.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1896; full membership, 1898; ordained Deacon by Bishop Vincent, 1898; Elder by Bishop Hamilton, 1901.

Holston: Lenoir City, 1896-97; Erie, 1898; Friendsville, 1899; Chatata, 1900; Ebenezer, 1901-02; Friendsville, 1903; Sy., 1904; Athens Circuit, 1905-6; Sy., 1907-11; Lenoir City Circuit, 1912; Sy., 1913-15; Byington and Scarbro, 1916; Townsend and Walland, 1917; Kingston, 1918-19; Asbury and Knoxville, 1920; Sy., 1921; Kingston, 1922-23; Lenoir City Circuit, 1924-25.

CARDWELL, NOEL H.—Holston, full membership, 1923; Johnson City, 1923-24; Morristown, 1925.

CAREY, FRANK H.—Re-admitted Holston, 1925; Tellico Plains, 1925.

CLONCE, PULLIAM L.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1908; full membership, 1910; ordained Deacon by Bishop Anderson, 1910; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1912.

Holston: Pikeville, 1903; Sunbright, 1904; Grant University, 1905-08; Whitwell, 1908; Pikeville, 1909; Burrville and Sunbright, 1910; Wellspring, 1911; Crossville, 1912; Jefferson City, 1913; Daisy, 1914-15; Graysville, 1916-17; Dayton, 1918; granted year for rest, 1919; Vine Grove, 1920-21; Graysville, 1922; Oliver Springs, 1923-24; Conference Evangelist, 1925.

COFFEE, WM. H.—Holston, full membership, 1921; ordained Deacon by Bishop Richardson, 1921.

Holston: Avondale, 1921-23; McDonald, 1924; Cleveland Circuit, 1925.

COLDWELL, JOSEPH F.—Holston, full membership, 1923; Athens Circuit, 1923; Friendsville and Walland, 1924.

COLEMAN, GEO. W.—Admitted on trial. South Illinois Conference, 1858; full membership, 1866; ordained Deacon by Bishop Simpson, 1864; Elder by Bishop Clark, 1868.

South Illinois Conference: Georgetown, 1858; Newton, 1859. Holston: Athens Circuit, 1866; Maynardville, 1868; North Knoxville, 1869; Kingston and Loudon, 1871-72; Kingston and Rockwood, 1873; Sy., 1874; Maryville Circuit, 1875; Sy., 1876; Athens Circuit, 1877-79; located, 1880; re-admitted, 1883; Conference Temperance Agent; South Chattanooga, 1884. South Kansas Conference: Sedan, 1886; Moline, 1887-88. Holston Conference: Cleveland, 1889-90; Johnson City, 1891-93; Harriman, 1894; Dayton, 1895-96; Jellico, 1897; Newport, 1898-99; Cleveland Circuit, 1900; retired, 1901.

CONNER, N. A.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1918; full membership, 1921; ordained Deacon by Bishop E. G. Richardson, 1921; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1923.

Holston: Christianburg, 1918-19; Radford, 1919-20; Christianburg, 1922.

CONNER, T. H.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1902; full membership, 1904; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1904; Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1906.

Holston Conference: Morgan Springs, 1902-04; Loudon, 1905; Lenoir City, 1906-07; Rogersville and Whitehorn, 1908-11; Mountain City, 1912-13; Kingston, 1914-15; Dandridge, 1916; Little River, 1917; Morristown Circuit, 1919; Telford, 1920-23; Greeneville Circuit, 1924.



COOKE, RICHARD JOSEPH—BISHOP—born, New York, January 31, 1853; son Richard and Joana (Geary) Cooke; graduate East Tennessee Wesleyan University, 1880. (D.D. University of Tennessee; L.L.D. Willamette University; married Eliza Gettys Fisher of Athens, Tennessee, April 20, 1881; entered M.E. ministry, 1873; ordained, 1876; professor, U. T., Exegesis and Historical Theology, 1889-1912; Vice-Chancellor, 1893; acting President, 1897, Grant University; editor Methodist Advocate-Journal, 1891-1904; book editor, M.E. Church, 1904-1912; bishop M.E. Church, May 1912; member General Conference, M.E. Church, 1896, 1900-04-08-12; Eumenical Conference, England, 1901; Commr. on Federation of Episcopal Methodism; Commr. on Common Hymnal; on Constitution; on Revision of the Ritual of the M.E. Church; fraternal delegate from M.E. Church to the British and Irish Wesleyan Conference, England and Ireland, 1906 Sec. Commr. on Judicial Procedure, M.E. Church, 1908.

AUTHOR: Doctrine of the Resurrection, 1884; Reasons for Church Creed, 1888; Christianity and Childhood, 1891; The Historic Episcopate, 1896; History of Ritual, M.E. Church, 1900; Christ—and the Critics, 1898; Digest of Judicial Decisions of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church; Incarnation and Recent Criticism; Freedom of Thought—in Religious Preaching. Contributor to Methodist Review; Member American Society of Church History; member Commr. on Unification of M.E. Church and M.E. Church, South.  
Address: Athens, Tennessee.

COOPER, D. B.—Admitted on trial in Georgia Conference, 1915; full membership, 1918; ordained Deacon by Bishop Leonard, 1918; Elder by Bishop Richardson, 1920.

Georgia Conference: New Prospect and Dungan, 1915-16.

Alabama Conference: Edwardsville and Heflin, 1917-18; Haleyville, 1919; Union Hill, 1920.

Holston Conference: Gate City, 1921-22; Salem, 1923; Pennington Gap, 1924.

COX, J. O.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1906; full membership, 1911; ordained Deacon by Bishop Anderson, 1911; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1915.

Holston: Fair Garden, 1906-07; Thorn Grove, 1908-10; Little River, 1911-12; New Salem, 1913-15; Pigeon Forge, 1916-18; Par-

COX, IVAN L.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1912; full membership, 1918; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1918.

Holston: Student, 1912; Niota, 1913; Wytheville, 1914; Greendale, 1916; Wytheville, 1919-20; Radford, 1921; Nickelsville, 1922.

CRESWELL, GEORGE J.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1911; full membership, 1915; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1915; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1920.

Holston: Fairmont, 1912-13; Manker Memorial, 1914-17; left without appointment to attend school, 1918; Second Church, 1920.

CROWDER, I. G.—Holston, full membership, 1925; Rose Hill, 1925.

CRUMLEY, THOS. J.—Admitted on trial, Virginia Conference, 1885; full membership Virginia Conference, 1887; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bowman, 1887; Elder by Bishop Newman, 1889.

Virginia: Tazewell, 1885; Marion, 1886-1890; Washington, 1891-93; Lee, 1894-96; Abingdon District, 1897-1902; Roanoke District, 1903-04; Sy., 1905-07. Holston Conference: Wise, 1908-10; Gate City, 1911-12; New Tazewell, 1913; Pennington, 1914-16; Nickelsville, 1917-18; Clinchport, 1919; granted year for rest, 1920; retired, 1921.

CUPP, JOHN L.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1915; full membership, 1917; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1917; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1919.

Holston: Supply Erie Circuit, 1914; Fairgarden, 1915-16; Knoxville Circuit, 1917-18; Crossville and Clarkrange, 1919; Leadville, Colorado, 1920; Limestone, 1921; Rogersville, 1922; Marion, 1923-24; St. Charles, 1925.

CURTIS, W. R.—Holston, full membership, 1925; North Athens, 1925.

DAVENPORT, MORGAN N.—Admitted on trial, Virginia Conference, 1893; full membership, 1897; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1893; Elder by Bishop Hurst, 1900.

Virginia: Supply Tazewell Circuit, 1892; Grayson Circuit, 1893-94; Eagle Rock, 1895; Kingsley Seminary, 1896; Roanoke Circuit, 1897-1900; Eagle Rock, 1901; Greendale, 1902-03; Wise, 1904; New River, 1905. Holston: Johnson City Circuit, 1906; Baileyton, 1907-08; Sy., Supply Jonesboro, 1909; Jonesboro, 1910; Conference Evangelist, 1911; Morristown Circuit, 1912-13; Assistant Pastor, Johnson City, 1914; Sy., 1915; Fall Branch and Kingsport, 1916; Morristown Circuit, 1917; Surgoinville, 1918; Limestone Circuit, 1919; Jefferson City, 1921; Greeneville Circuit, 1922; Unicoi, 1923; year of rest, 1924; Fall Branch, 1925.

DEW, JOSEPH M.—Holston, full membership, 1923; Pigeon Forge, 1923; Inskip, 1924.

DOBBS, CICERO—Admitted on trial, Alabama Conference, 1906; full membership, 1908; ordained Deacon, 1908; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1914.

Alabama: Rock Run, 1906 Edwardsville, 1907. Holston: Jasper, 1908; Crossville, 1909; Scarborough, 1910-11; Vine Grove, 1912-14; Decatur, 1915; Kingston, 1916-17; Englewood and Tellico Plains, 1918; Oakdale, 1919; Clinton, 1921; Newport, 1922-23; Elizabethton, 1924.

DYE, W. M.—Joined Virginia Conference on trial, 1893; school, 1893-96; ordained Deacon, 1895; supplied Ronceverte, 1895; supplied Ridgedale, 1896. Transferred Holston Conference, 1897; Avondale, 1897; school, 1898. Transferred Virginia Conference, 1899; ordained Elder, 1899; Ronceverte, 1899-1900-01-02. Transferred Genesee Conference, 1903; Centerville, 1903; Gainesville, 1904-05; Tonawanda, 1906. Transferred Colorado Conference, 1907; Breckenridge, 1907; Idaho Springs, 1908; Denver, 1909-10; Julesburg, 1911-12; Transferred St. Louis Conference, 1913; St. Louis, 1913-14; Maplewood, 1915. Transferred Kansas Conference, 1916; Eskridge, 1916-17; Overbrook, 1918-19. Transferred Holston Conference, 1920; Roanoke, 1920; Cleveland, 1921-22; Eto-wah, 1923.

EBLEN, SAMUEL N.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1916; full membership, 1918; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1918; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1920.

Wytheville, 1916; Riner, 1917; Pennington Gap Circuit, 1918; Greendale, 1919; Roane Mountain, 1920; Bloomingdale, 1921; Cleveland Circuit, 1922; Sy., 1923-24; Graysville, 1925.

ELY, CHARLES H.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1919; full membership, 1921; ordained Deacon by Bishop E. G. Richardson, 1921.

Holston: Student Athens School, 1916-17-18-19; East Athens, 1919; Elkmont Mission, 1920-23; Knoxville Circuit, 1924.

ELZEY, ROLAND C.—Holston; full membership, 1923; Alcoa, 1923; left without appointment to attend school, 1924; Lenoir City, 1925.

EMERT, JOHN M.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1893; full membership, 1895; ordained Deacon by Bishop Goodsell, 1895; Elder by Bishop Andrews, 1897.

Holston: Cumberland Gap, 1893; Well Springs, 1894-97; Jellico, 1898-1901; Asylum Ave., 1902-04; Clinton District, 1905-10; Athens, 1911-13; Johnson City, 1914-16; Maryville, 1917-19; Park City, 1920-24; Athens, 1925.

FERGUSON, EDWIN C.—Admitted on trial, New England Conference, 1874; full membership, 1876; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foster, 1876; Elder by Bishop Peck, 1878.

New England Conference Pastoral Service, 1874-83. Illinois Conference: Professor in Shaddock College, Quincy, Ill., 1883-86. South Illinois Conference: Professor in McKendree College, Lebanon, Ill., 1886-91. Holston Conference: Professor in Grant and Chattanooga University, 1891-23; retired, 1924.

FORD, JOHN H.—Holston, 1923; Roanoke, 1923.

FRANCISCO, GEO. T.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1890; full membership, 1893; ordained Deacon by Bishop Merrill, 1893; Elder by Bishop Goodsell, 1895.

Holston: Pikeville, 1890; Grant University, 1891-92; Ooltewah, 1892; Carnegie and Jonesboro, 1893; Dayton, 1894; South Pittsburgh, 1895; Newport, 1896-97; Greeneville District, 1898-1903; LaFollette District, 1904; Knoxville District, 1905-10; Sunday School Missionary, 1911-15; Park City, 1916-19; Maryville, 1920-23; Jones Chapel, 1924.

GAMBILL, James M.—Admitted on trial, Blue Ridge Atlantic Conference, 1914; full membership, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1916; Elder by Bishop Smith, 1925.

Attended school, Athens, Tenn., 1917-21; Blue Ridge Atlantic: Laural Branch, 1914-15; Boone, 1915-16; Misenheimer, 1916-17.

Holston: Etowah Circuit, 1917-20; Chatata, 1920-21. Blue Ridge Atlantic: Principal Lansing High School, 1922; Principal Tipton Hill, 1823. Holston: Radford, 1924-25; Wytheville, 1925.

GILES, JOHN F.—Admitted on trial, Virginia Conference, 1895; full membership, 1897; ordained Deacon by Bishop Andrews, 1895; Elder by Bishop Hurst, 1900.

Holston: Tazewell, 1895-96; New Garden, 1897; Wise, 1898; Elk Garden, 1899; Russell, 1900; Washington, 1901-02; Elk Garden, 1903-04; Gate City, 1905; Grant University, 1906-07; Marion, 1908-09; Christianburg, 1910-11; Nickelsville, 1912-14; Floyd, 1915-17; Riner, 1918-20; Marion, 1921-22; East Athens, 1923; retired, 1924.

GILLESPIE, E. G.—Holston; full membership, 1925; Sulphur Springs, 1925.

GOODMAN, THOMAS E.—Admitted on trial, 1914; full membership, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1916; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1918.

Holston: Baileyton, 1914-15; Morristown Circuit, 1916; Lime-stone Circuit, 1917; South Greeneville Circuit, 1918-19; Rogersville, 1920-21; Fall Branch, 1922-24; Surgoinsville, 1925.

GRANT, WAYNE S.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1890; full membership, 1892; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foss, 1892; Elder by Bishop Foster, 1894.

Holston: Tazewell Circuit, 1890-92; Big Valley, 1893-96; Chatata Circuit, 1897-99; Loudon, 1900-02; Athens Circuit, 1903-04; Second Church, Knoxville, 1905-08; Bristol District, 1909-10; Inskip and Park City, 1911; Park City, 1912-13; Ridgedale, 1914; Business Manager Advocate-Journal, 1915; Conference Evangelist, half year, pastor Second Church half year, 1916; Loudon, 1917; East Main Avenue, 1918-21; Inskip, 1922-23; retired, 1924.

GRAYBEAL, W. A.—Admitted on trial, Blue Ridge Atlantic Conference, 1913; full membership, 1915; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1913, under the Seminary rules; Elder by Bishop Hughes, 1917.



Blue Ridge Atlantic Conference: Clyde, 1913-17; Lansing, 1917-19.

Holston Conference: Glenford, 1919-22; Pennington Gap, 1922-23; Gate City, 1924.

GREER, WORTH M.—Holston, full membership, 1925; Kingston, 1925.

HAMIL, LORENZO D.—Admitted on trial, Georgia Conference, 1902; full membership, 1904; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foss, 1902; Elder by Bishop Cranston, 1906.

Georgia: Supply Bremen, 1900; Supply Rock Spring, 1901-02; Bremen, 1903; Tallapoosa, 1904-05; Mt. Zion, 1906. Holston: Newcomb, 1907; Clinton, 1908-10; Townsend and Walland, 1911; Lenoir City, 1912; Newport, 1913-14; Ridgedale, 1915-16; Harri-man District, 1917; Ridgedale, 1919-20; St. Mark's, 1921-23; Bristol, 1924; St. Mark's, 1925.

HAMPTON, JOE M.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1920; full membership, 1922; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1922; Elder by Bishop Thirkield, 1924.

Holston: Soddy, 1920-21; Elizabethton, 1922; Alton Park, 1923-24; Jellico, 1925.

HARRIS, JOSEPH D.—Admitted on trial, Central Tennessee Conference, 1895; full membership, 1897; ordained Deacon by Bishop Ninde, 1897; Elder by Bishop Ninde, 1899.

Central Tennessee: Bloomington, Monroe, Cliff Springs, Dowell-town, Maggart, Baxter District 6 years, Bible teacher in Baxter Seminary for one year.

Georgia Conference: Flint Stone, LaFayette.

Arkansas Conference: Siloam Springs, Rogers.

N. W. Kansas Conference: Portis, McCracken.

Holston Conference: Rockwood, Alton Park, Vestal, St. Marks, Ridgedale, and Conference Evangelist.

HARRIS, WM. K.—Admitted on trial, Blue Ridge Conference, 1898; full membership, 1905; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1903; Elder by Bishop Fowler, 1905.

Blue Ridge: Student Grant University, 1898-99; Supply Central Tennessee Conference, Sparta and McMinnville, 1900; student, Grant University, 1901. Virginia Conference: Eagle Rock, 1902-03. Northwest Kansas Conference: Webber, 1904. Holston: South Knoxville and Asbury, 1905; South Knoxville, 1905-06; Morris-town, 1907-08; Second Church, Knoxville, 1909-13; Knoxville District, 1914-19; Etowah, 1920-21; Greeneville, 1922-24; Bristol, 1925.

**HAWK, HENRY M.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1902; full membership, 1904; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1904; Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1906.

Holston: Supply Decatur, 1900-01; Chatata, Student, Grant University, 1902-06; Fairmount, 1907; student, Grant University, Kingston, 1908-09; Rockwood, 1910; Clinton, 1911-12; Lonsdale, 1913-17; Lenoir City, 1918-21; Harriman District, 1922-24; Lonsdale, 1925.

**HOPPER, S. A.**—Admitted on trial, Alabama Conference, 1910; ordained Deacon, 1912; ordained Elder, 1914.

Alabama Conference: Bradford Mission, 1911; Prat City, 1912-13; Almond, 1914-15-16; Haleyville, 1917-18. Holston: Coalmont, 1918-20; Sulphur Springs, 1920-22; Mountain City and Butler, 1923; Telford, 1924.

**HOUCHINS, C. D.**—Admitted on trial, Virginia Conference, 1892; full membership, Holston Conference, 1895; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1892; Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1904.

Holston: Mendota, 1892; Surgoinville, 1893-95; Bloomingdale, 1896-97. Virginia: Greendale, 1898-99; Rose Hill, 1900-03; New River, 1904; Holston: Well Spring, 1905-07; Andersonville, 1908-09; retired, 1910; Sy., 1914; retired, 1919.

**HOWELL, DILLARD L.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1912; recognized as a Deacon on Orders from Free Baptist Church, 1911; full membership, 1914.

Holston: Supply Jonesboro, 1911; Jonesboro, 1912; Telford, 1913-14; Bloomingdale, 1915; Telford, 1916-17; Mountain City Circuit, 1918.

**HUFF, R. M.**—Holston, full membership, 1922.

Holston: Asbury, 1922; Sevierville Circuit, 1923-24; left without appointment to attend school, 1925.

**INGLE, A. H.**—Admitted on trial, Virginia Conference, 1875; full membership, 1877; ordained by Bishop Ames, 1877; Elder by Bishop Haven, 1879.

Virginia: Washington, 1875; Nickelsville, 1876; Lee, 1877-79; Nickelsville, 1880; Abingdon, 1881-82; Russell, 1883; Abingdon District, 1884-87; Bristol Circuit, 1888; Washington, 1889; Russell, 1890-91; Nickelsville, 1892-93; Scott, 1894-95; Greendale, 1896-1901; Russell, 1902-03; Nickelsville, 1904. Holston: Sy., 1906; Wise, 1907; Greendale, 1908; retired, 1909.

**JENKINS, DEWEY**—Holston, full membership, 1924; Morristown Circuit, 1924; Dandridge, 1925.

**KETRON, ALBERT C.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1889; full membership, 1901; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foss, 1899; Elder by Bishop Joyce, 1903.

Holston: Student, Grant University, 1899-1901; Supply Alton Park, 1900; Surgoinsville, 1901; Fall Branch, 1902-03; Newport, 1904; New Salem, 1905; Hilton, 1906-07; Fall Branch, 1908-09; Roane Mountain, 1910; Sulphur Springs, 1911-13; Chuckey, 1914-15; Bloomingdale, 1916-17; Telford, 1918-19; Oliver Springs, 1920-22; Clinton, 1923; Athens Circuit, 1924.

KETRON, SAMUEL G.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1881; full membership, 1883; ordained Deacon by Bishop Andrews, 1881; Elder by Bishop Hurst, 1885.

Holston: Kingsport, 1881-82; Mountain City, 1883; Fall Branch, 1884-85; Johnson City, 1886-87; Kingsport, 1888-89; Greeneville Circuit, 1890; Greeneville District, 1891-97; Bloomingdale, 1898-99; Fall Branch, 1900-02; Bloomingdale, 1903-05; President, Kingsley Seminary, 1906; Fall Branch, 1907; Sulphur Springs, 1908-10; Johnson City District, 1911-16; Kingsport and Fall Branch, 1917-18; Bloomingdale, 1919-20; retired, 1921; supply, Surgoinsville, 1923-24; supply, Morristown Circuit, 1925.

KILBURN, ROLLO A.—Holston, 1924; Director Religious Education, Athens School, 1924.

KILGORE, L. E.—Admitted on trial, Georgia Conference, 1913; full membership, 1914; ordained Deacon by Bishop Lette, 1914; ordained Elder by Bishop Lette, 1917.

Georgia Conference: Rock Springs, 1913-18; McCaysville, 1919-23.

Holston Conference: Coalmont, 1923.

KIRBY, CHAS. L.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1907; full membership, 1909; ordained Deacon by Bishop Wilson, 1907; Elder by Bishop Anderson, 1911.

Holston: Supply Rutledge, 1906; Rutledge, 1907; Scarborough, 1908-09; Oliver Springs and Oakdale, 1910-11; Well Spring, 1912-14; Vine Grove and Spring City, 1915-17; Lonsdale, 1918; Little River, 1919-21; Fair Garden, 1922; Chestnut Hill, 1923-24; Sevierville Circuit, 1925.

LAWSON, DAVID T.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1901; full membership, 1903; ordained Deacon by Bishop Joyce, 1903; Elder by Bishop Wilson, 1907.

Holston: Rogersville, 1901; Surgoinsville, 1902-03; Morristown Circuit, 1904-09; Greeneville Circuit, 1910-13; Sy., 1914-24; retired, 1925.

LAWSON, OTIS A.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1914; full membership, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop Frank M. Bristol, 1916; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1918.

Holston: Fair Garden Supply, 1913; Fair Garden, 1914; Riner, 1915-16; Wytheville, 1917-18; Nickelsville, 1919-21; Glenford, 1922; Hilton, 1923; Limestone, 1924.

LEONARD, ISAAC B.—Admitted on trial, Virginia Conference, 1901; full membership, 1903; ordained Deacon by Bishop Fowler, 1901; Elder by Bishop Cranston, 1905.

Virginia: Supply Washington, 1900; Elk Garden, 1900; Elk Garden, 1901; Hilton's, 1902-05. Holston: Pattonville, 1906-08; Greendale, 1909-11; Bloomingdale, 1912-13; Greeneville Circuit, 1914-18; Baileyton and Whitehorn, 1919-20; South Greeneville Circuit, 1921; Supernumerary, 1922-23; Chuckey, 1924.

LESLIE, ROBT. L.—Admitted on trial, Virginia Conference, 1896; full membership, 1898; ordained Deacon by Bishop Goodsell, 1898; Elder by Bishop Fowler, 1901.

Virginia: Marion, 1896-97; Russell, 1898; Nickelsville, 1899; Mendota, 1900-01; Pennington Gap, 1902; Washington, 1903-04; Marion, 1905-07. Holston: Greendale, 1907; Burrville and Sunbright, 1908-09; Andersonville, 1910; Surgoinville, 1911; New Salem, 1912; Lenoir City Circuit, 1913; Sy., 1914-16; effective, Maynardsville, 1917; Heiskell, 1918; supernumerary, 1919; supply, Heiskell, 1919; retired, 1922.

LUCAS, C. F.—Holston, 1925; Alton Park, 1925.

LYNCH, JOHN F.—Admitted on trial, 1914; full membership, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1916; Elder, 1919.

Holston: Big Valley, 1914-16; Chestnut Hill, 1917-18; Sevierville Circuit, 1919-22; LaFollette, 1923; New Tazewell, 1924; Oneida, 1925.

MARSHALL, T. O.—Holston, full membership, 1925; Loudon, 1925.

MARTIN, WILLIAM C.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1914; full membership, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1916; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1918.

Holston: Byington, 1914; Crossville, 1915-17; Rockwood, 1918-23; St. Marks, 1924; Knoxville District, 1925.

MATNEY, GREEN W.—Admitted on trial, Blue Ridge Conference, 1891; full membership, 1895; ordained Deacon by Bishop Malla-lieu, 1895; Elder by Bishop Wilson, 1907.

Blue Ridge: Brevard, 1893; Highlands, 1894-1900; Marion, 1901. Holston: Jonesboro, 1902-05; Parrottsville, 1905-09; Mosheim, 1910-13; Mountain City and Butler, 1914-21; Roane Mountain, 1922.

McGEE, JOHN W.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1886; full membership, 1888; ordained Deacon by Bishop Mallalieu, 1886; Elder by Bishop Foss, 1892.



Holston: South Pittsburgh, 1886-87; Tracy City, Hamilton, 1889-90; Clinton, 1891; Clinton and Jonesboro, 1892; Bristol and Elizabethton, 1893; Elizabethton and Carnegie, 1894; Chuckey, 1895; Fall Branch, 1896-99; Little River, 1900-02; Knoxville Circuit, 1903; Morristown Circuit, 1904; Rutledge, 1905; Oakwood, 1906; Sy., 1907; retired, 1911.

**McKENZIE, ALBERT B.—**

Holston: Newport Circuit, 1896; Graysville, 1897; South Pittsburgh, 1898; Sevierville, 1899-1900; New Salem, 1901; Dandridge, 1902; Chuckey, 1903; Greeneville Circuit, 1904-05; Fall Branch, 1906; Greeneville Circuit, 1907; Lenoir City, 1908; Decatur, 1909; Park City, 1910; Knoxville Circuit, 1911; Loudon, 1912; Oliver Springs, 1913; Friendsville, 1914; Scarboro, 1915; Conference Evangelist, 1916.

**McKENZIE, HIRAM W.—**Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1889; full membership, 1892; ordained Deacon by Bishop Walden, 1890; Elder by Bishop Foss, 1892.

Holston: Speedwell, 1889; Surgoinsville, 1890; Sneedville, 1891; Parrottsville, 1892-93; Erwin, 1894; Mountain City, 1895-96; Irwin, 1897; Wautauga, 1898-1900; Surgoinsville, 1901-02; Rutledge, 1903-04; Watauga, 1905-06; Surgoinsville, 1907-08; Bloomingdale, 1909; Benhams, 1910; Clark Range, 1911-12; Gate City, 1913; Floyd, 1914; Marion, 1915; Pattonville, 1916; retired, 1917.

**McNESS, SOLON—**Holston; full membership, 1925; Alcoa, 1925.

**MELEAR, J. M.—**Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1892; full membership, 1894; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foster, 1894; Elder by Bishop Mallalieu, 1896.

Holston: Carnegie, 1892; Sherman Heights, 1893-95; Athens, 1895-97; Luttrell Street, now Trinity, 1897-1905. West Wisconsin: Baraboo, 1905-07. Northwest Indiana: Frankport, 1907-11. Kentucky: Lexington, 1911-16. Holston: Editor, Methodist Advocate-Journal, 1916.

**MELTON, O. C.—**Holston, 1923; Gate City, 1923; Salem, 1924.

**MILBURN, JAMES E.—**Admitted on trial, 1915; full membership, 1917; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1917.

Holston: Roan Mountain, 1915; student, 1916; Cleveland Circuit, 1917; Morristown Circuit, 1918; Greeneville, 1919; left without appointment to attend school, 1920.

**MILLARD, R. M.—**Holston, 1925; First Church, Knoxville, 1925.

**MILLER, CHAS. W.—**Admitted on trial, Alabama Conference, 1886; full membership, 1888; ordained Deacon by Bishop Fowler, 1886; Elder by Bishop Fowler, 1888.

South American Mission: Monetoides, 1886-90; Mendoza, 1890-93. Alabama Conference. Holston Conference, 1894: Cumberland Gap Circuit, 1895-98; Tazewell Circuit, 1898-99; Professor, Powell's Valley Seminary, 1899-1900; Big Valley, 1900-01; Well-spring, 1901-02; Mingo Mines, 1903; retired, 1904.

MITCHELL, JAMES A.—Admitted on trial, Alabama Conference, 1895; full membership, 1897; ordained Deacon by Bishop Vincent, 1895; Elder by Bishop Goodsell, 1898.

Alabama: Birmingham, 1895-97; Pratt City, 1898-1900; Anniston, 1900-02; Des Moines, 1902. Holston: Epworth, 1903; Crossville, 1904; South Pittsburgh, 1905; Field Agent, University of Chattanooga, 1906; Rockwood, 1907; Greeneville, 1908-12; Johnson City, 1913; Chattanooga District, 1914-21; East Main Ave., 1922-24; Whittle Springs, 1925.

MONROE, M. H.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1886; full membership, 1888; ordained Deacon by Bishop Mallalieu, 1885; Elder by Bishop Ninde, 1888.

Holston: Crossville Circuit, 1886; Spring City, 1887-88; Dayton, 1888; Warren College, 1890; Parrottsville, 1891-94; Kingston, 1895; Chatata, 1896-97; Jellico and Newcomb, 1898; Morristown Circuit, 1899; Powells Valley Seminary, 1900; Sy., 1901; Madisonville, 1901-05; Spivey Memorial, 1906; Morgan Springs, 1907; A. B. Wright Institute, 1907-10; Wise, 1910-13; South Pittsburgh, 1914; Pikeville, 1915-16; Big Valley, 1917-18; granted year's rest, 1919; retired, 1920.

MOORE, MARK M.—Holston; full membership, 1925; Asbury, 1925.

MORRISON, BENJAMIN M.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1904; full membership, 1906; ordained Deacon by Bishop McDowell, 1906; Elder by Bishop Goodsell, 1908.

Holston: Rogersville, 1904-05; Jonesboro, 1906; Johnson City Circuit, 1907; Roan Mountain, 1908-09; LaFollette, 1910; Kingston, 1911-13; Inskip, 1914-15; Lenoir City, 1916-17; Etowah, 1918-19; St. James, 1920-23; Superintendent Good Will Industry, 1924; Red Bank, 1925.

MURPHY, MICHAEL P.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1901; full membership, 1903; ordained Deacon by Bishop Joyce, 1903; Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1906.

Holston: Morgan Springs, 1901; Epworth, 1902; Dayton and Vine Grove, 1903; Ridgedale, 1904-05; Crossville, 1906; South Pittsburgh, 1907-10; South Knoxville, 1911-12; Sevierville, 1913; Clinton, 1914-16; St. James, 1917; Highland Park, 1918-19; Hariman District, 1920-21; Chattanooga District, 1922.

MYERS, JOHN H.—Holston, full membership, 1925; Crossville, 1925.

NEWMAN, A. A.—

Kansas: Dresden, 1906. Holston: Newcomb, 1907; Townsend, 1908; Asbury, 1909-10; Parrottsville, 1911-13; Mosheim, 1914-15; Sulphur Springs, 1916; Parrottsville, 1917-19; Chestnut Hill, 1920-22; retired, 1923.

NEWTON, W. H.—

Holston: Burrville, 1913; Graysville, 1914; Wellspring, 1915; Saint Charles, Va., 1916-17; Rose Hill, 1918-19; Kingston, 1920; granted one year's rest, 1921; supernumerary, 1922.

OGLE, E. H.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1920; full membership, 1922; ordained Deacon by Bishop Frank M. Bristol, 1922; Elder by Bishop Smith, 1925.

Cleveland Circuit, 1920-21; Salem, 1922; St. Charles, 1923-24; Townsend, 1925.

OLIVER, WILLIAM L.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1905; full membership, 1907; ordained Deacon by Bishop Wilson, 1907; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1914.

Holston: Supply Oliver Springs, 1899-1900; Andersonville, 1900-02; Supply Sunbright, 1903; Pikeville, 1904-05; Elm Grove and Asbury, 1905-07; South Knoxville, 1907-10; Sevierville, 1910-12; Greeneville, 1913-16; Morristown, 1917-22; Johnson City District, 1923.

OSBORNE, JAMES—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1906; full membership, 1911; ordained Deacon by Bishop Vincent, 1898; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1913.

Holston: Supply 13 years; Maryville Circuit, 1906-08; Graysville Circuit, 1909-10; Whitwell Circuit, 1911-14; Chatata, 1915-17; Vine Grove and Spring City, 1918-19; Graysville, 1920-21; retired, 1922.

PETERS, TIMOTHY V.—

Holston: Burrville, 1916-17; Clinton, 1918-19; Harriman, 1920; Oneida and Burrville, 1921.

PICKERING, WALTER L.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1919; full membership, 1922; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1922.

Holston Conference: Thorn Grove, 1918-19; Jones' Chapel, 1920-21; Etowah, 1922.

Michigan Conference, Jonesville, 1923.

Holston Conference: St. James, 1924.

PIPPIN, E. M.—Admitted on trial in Virginia Conference, 1894; full membership, 1899; ordained Deacon by Bishop Malalieu, 1899; Elder by Bishop Joyce, 1903.

Virginia Conference: Tazewell, 1894-95; Elk Garden, 1896; Radford, 1897-98. Missouri Conference: Lored, 1899; Lucerne, 1900-01.

Holston Conference: Alton Park, 1901-02; Cleveland Circuit, 1903; Loudon, 1904-05; withdrew from Church, 1905; readmitted to Holston Conference, 1912; Decatur Circuit, 1912; Athens Circuit, 1913; Jones Chapel, 1914; South Knoxville, 1915; LaFollette, 1916; Byington and Scarboro, 1917; Sy., 1918-20; South Knoxville, 1921-23; Sy., 1924.

PITTS, WILLIAM F.—Admitted on trial, Georgia Conference, 1895; full membership, 1897; ordained Deacon by Bishop Cyrus D. Foss, 1897; at Tallapoosa, Ga.; ordained Elder by Bishop John W. Hamilton, 1901, at Morristown, Tenn. Record of work.

Georgia: Dunnagan Circuit, Belton, Ga., as a supply, 1894; Ellijay, 1895-98; Spring Place, Dalton, Ga., 1899; LaFayette, 1900.

Holston: Graysville, 1901; East Main Avenue, Knoxville, 1901-08; St. James, Chattanooga, 1908-10; Bristol, 1910-12; Cleveland, 1912-14; Harriman, 1915; Maryville, 1916-17; Johnson City, 1917-23; Athens, 1923-24; Park City, 1925.

RAGAN, WILLIAM H.—Admitted on trial, 1914; full membership, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1916; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1920.

Holston: Park City, 1914-15; Sevierville, 1916-18; Jellico, 1919-24; left without appointment to attend school, 1925.

RAMBO, MOSES H.—Admitted on trial, Des Moines Conference, 1900; full membership, 1902; ordained Deacon by Bishop Hamilton, 1902; Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1904.

Des Moines: Supply, Avoca, 1900; Red Oak Circuit, 1901; Vanwert, 1902; Walnut, 1903-05. Holston: Townsend, 1906-07; Reaver Ridge, 1908-09; Sy., 1910; LaFollette, 1911-13; Mountain City Circuit, 1914-16; Bristol District, 1917-21; Jones Chapel, 1922-23; Copper Hill, 1924.

REED, JACOB F.—Admitted on trial, 1914; full membership, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1916; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1918.

Holston: Rogersville, 1914-15; Mosheim, 1916-21; Bristol District, 1922.

ROACH, T. H.—Holston, 1924; Coalmont, 1924.

ROBESON, W. E. O.—Holston, full membership, 1925; Conference Evangelist, 1925.



ROBERSON, J. D.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1875; full membership, 1877; ordained Deacon by Bishop Harris, 1877; Elder by Bishop Wiley, 1879.

Holston: Franklin and Webster, N. C., 1875; Catawba, 1876; Hendersonville, 1877; Kingsport, 1878; Jonesboro, 1879; Jonesboro and Johnson City, 1880. Blue Ridge Conference: Greensboro District, 1880-81; Asheville District, 1882-85; Bakersville District, 1886-88; Asheville District, 1889-90; Montezuma, 1891-93. Holston: Loudon, 1894; Athens, 1895; Clinton District, 1896-1901; Chuckey, 1902; Newport, 1903; Cleveland, 1904-07; Harri-man, 1908-10; Loudon, 1911; Dayton, 1912; Loudon, 1913-15; retired, 1916.

ROBINETTE, JAMES JEFFERSON, Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, New Market, Tenn., October, 1878; ordained Deacon by Bishop Erastus O. Haven, October 24, 1880, at Greeneville, Tenn.; Elder by Bishop Matthew Simpson, October 22, 1882, at Chattanooga, Tenn.

Holston: Battle Creek Circuit, 1878-79; Pikeville Circuit, 1879-80; Kingston and Rockwood, 1880-81; supernumerary (to attend school), 1881-82; Greeneville, 1882-84; Morristown, 1884-86; Chattanooga District, 1886-89; Knoxville, Asylum Street, 1889-90; Knoxville District, 1890-92; Cleveland, 1892-94; Johnson City, 1894-95; Athens District, 1895-97; Maryville, 1897-1902; Athens, 1902-06; Johnson City, 1906-09; Jellico, 1909-10. Indiana Conference: Liberty, 1910-11; Evansville, Simpson Church, 1911-13; Rockport, 1913-15. Holston Conference: Bristol, 1915-16; Harri-man, 1916-18; Chattanooga, St. Marks, 1918-20; Greeneville, 1920-21; Sevierville, 1922; retired, 1923; supply, Harriman, 1924.

Was elected as one of the delegates to the General Conference of 1904, and again in 1908.

ROMINGER, LEWIS A.—Admitted on trial, Blue Ridge Conference, 1886; full membership, 1889; ordained Deacon by Bishop Joyce, 1889; Elder by Bishop Mallalieu, 1895.

Blue Ridge: Toe River, 1886-87; Burnsville, 1889-91; Boone, 1892; Jefferson, 1893; Toe River, 1894; Culberson, 1895-96; Hayesville, 1899; Unaka, 1900. Holston: Supply, Cleveland Circuit, 1903-04; Jefferson, 1908-09; Bakersville, 1909-10. Holston: North Athens, 1910; Niota, 1911; McDonald, 1912; Sy., 1913-16; retired, 1917.

ROSE, ALBERT M.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1886; full membership, 1888; ordained Deacon by Bishop Fitzgerald, 1888; Elder by Bishop Ninde, 1891.

Holston: Emert, 1886-87; Ooltewah, 1888; Thorn Grove, 1889-91; Little River, 1892-93; Knoxville Circuit, 1894-96; Ebenezer, 1898-1900; Maryville Circuit, 1901-03; Pigeon Forge, 1904-05; Greeneville Circuit, 1906 Chuckey, 1907-08; Mosheim, 1909; Morristown Circuit, 1910; Fair Garden, 1911; Sy., 1912; Unicoi, 1913; Glen-ford, 1914; New Tazewell, 1915; retired, 1916.



ROWAN, GEORGE R.—Admitted on trial, Blue Ridge Conference, 1892; full membership, Oklahoma Conference, 1893; ordained Deacon by Bishop Foster, 1892; Elder by Bishop Vincent, 1898.

Holston: Teacher in Aaron Seminary, 1891-93. Oklahoma Conference, 1893-95. Holston: Ducktown, 1895-96; Cleveland, 1896-99; Johnson City, 1899-1900; Baileyton and Whitehorn, 1904-06; Rogersville, 1907; Assistant Pastor, Athens, 1909-11; Assistant Pastor, Anglewood, 1912; Sy., 1913-24; retired, 1925.

ROWE, J. FRED—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1913; full membership, Seminary Rule, 1913; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1913; ordained Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1915.

Holston Conference; Jefferson City, 1912-13; Pikeville, 1913-15; Elizabethton, 1915-19; Sevierville, 1919-22; Lonsdale, 1922-24; Harriman District, 1925.

RUMBURG, JOHN K.—Admitted on trial, Virginia Conference, 1878; full membership, 1880; ordained Deacon by Bishop Merrill, 1880; Elder by Bishop Simpson, 1882.

Virginia: Franklin, 1878; Fincastle, 1879-81; Roanoke District, 1882; Auburn, 1883-84; Sy., 1885-86; Bedford, 1887; Roanoke District, 1888-90; Roanoke District, 1891-94; Rockbridge, 1895-97; Sy., 1898; New River, 1899-1903; Floyd, 1904-05. Holston: Greendale, 1906; Floyd, 1907; Glenford, 1908-09; Floyd, 1910-13; Sy., 1914; retired, 1915.

SADLER, C. N.—Admitted on trial, Central Tennessee Conference, 1895; full membership, 1896; ordained Deacon by Bishop Fowler, 1897; Elder by Bishop Goodsell, 1903.

Central Tennessee: Monroe, 1895-96; Red Boiling Springs, 1897-1901; LaFayette, 1902-04; student, Grant University, 1905-07; Supply, Cleveland Circuit, 1906-07; Supply, Litton, 1908. Holston: Withwell, 1909-10; Daisy, 1911-12; Thorn Grove, 1913; Townsend, 1914; West Maryville Circuit, 1915; New Salem, 1916-17; Cleveland Circuit, 1918-19; retired, 1920.

SANDERS, F. P.—Admitted on trial, Central Tennessee Conference, 1903; full membership, 1905; ordained Deacon by Bishop Goodsell, 1903; Elder by Bishop Wilson, 1907.

Central Tennessee: Huntingdon, 1903. South Illinois: Mulberry Grove, 1904. Central Tennessee: Huntingdon, 1905. Holston: Pikeville, 1907; located, 1908; re-admitted, 1910; Friendsville, 1910-13; Little River, 1914-16; Oakwood, 1917-18; Friendsville, 1919-21; Maryville Circuit, 1922.

SHUPE, GURNEY L.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1916; full membership, 1919; ordained Deacon by Bishop Frank M. Bristol, 1919; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1922.

Holston: Salem, 1916; Gate City, 1917; Marion, 1918-19; Rose Hill, 1920; Wytheville, 1921-22; Glenford, 1923-24; Riner, 1925.

SIVILS, M. L.—Admitted on trial, Georgia Conference, 1913; full membership, 1915; ordained Deacon by Bishop Leete, 1915; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1920.

Georgia: Ellijay, 1914-16; Cedartown, 1917; Epworth, 1918. Holston: Decatur, 1919; Andersonville, 1920; Sunbright and Lancing, 1921; Well Spring, 1922.

SLAGLE, DAVID C.—Admitted on trial, Blue Ridge Conference, 1904; full membership, 1907; ordained Deacon by Bishop Spellmyer, 1907.

Blue Ridge: Sylva, 1904; Teresita, 1905-06; Pisgah, 1907; Irwin, 1908. Holston: Jasper, 1909; Auburn, 1910; Riner, 1911; Marion, 1912-13; Sy., 1914; Nickelsville, 1915-16; Thorn Grove, 1917; Friendsville, 1918; Decatur, 1919-20; North Athens, 1921; Chuckey, 1922; Greeneville Circuit, 1923; Mountain City and Butler, 1924.

SMITH, WALTER A.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1917; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1920.

Holston: Soddy, 1917; St. James, 1918; Highland Park, 1920-22; Cleveland, 1923.

STAPLETON, ROBT. L.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1899; full membership, 1901; ordained Deacon by Bishop Hamilton, 1901; Elder by Bishop Joyce, 1903.

Holston: Supply, Sherman Heights, 1898; Rockwood, 1899; Newport, 1900-01; Morristown, 1902-04; Alton Park, 1905-06; Jellico, 1907-08; S. S. Missionary, 1909-10; Maryville, 1911-14; Morristown, 1915-16; Johnson City District, 1917-22; Highland Park, 1923.

STRANGE, J. S.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1890; full membership, 1892; ordained Deacon by Bishop Ninde, 1891; Elder by Bishop Foster, 1894.

Holston: Emory Gap, 1890; Hamilton, 1891-92; Little River, 1893-94; Beaver and Lenoir, 1895; Elmyer, 1896; New Salem, 1897-98; Morristown Circuit, 1899-1900; Thorn Grove, 1901-02; Jones Chapel, 1903; Sy., 1904-05; Erie and Chatata, 1906 Loudon, 1907-08; Knoxville Circuit, 1909-10; Beaver Ridge, 1911; Thorn Grove, 1912; Rose Hill, 1913-14; Tellico Plains, 1915; Lenoir City Circuit, 1916; Sy., 1917-20; retired, 1921.

STRINGHAM, SIDNEY E.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1914; Deacon's Orders, 1921; ordained Elder, 1923, by Bishop Bristol.

Holston Conference: Inskip, 1919; Alcoa, 1920; Manker Memorial, Chattanooga, 1923.

**TARWATER, CHARLES B.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1918; full membership, 1920; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1920; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1922.

Holston Conference: Student, Athens School, University of Chattanooga, 1915-16-17; Erie Circuit, 1915-17; Alton Park, 1918-20; Whittle Springs, Knoxville, 1921-24; East Main Ave., 1925.

**TARWATER, OLIVER R.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1907; full membership, 1909; ordained Deacon by Bishop Anderson, 1909; Elder by Bishop Anderson, 1911.

Holston: Manker Memorial, 1907; student, Boston, Mass., 1908; Johnson City, 1909-12; Bristol District, 1913; Trinity, Knoxville, 1914-18; Athens, 1919-22; Morristown, 1923-24; Johnson City, 1925.

**TAYLOR, CHARLES H.**—Admitted on trial, 1914; full membership, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1916 Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1920.

Holston: Oakdale, 1914-18; Englewood and Tellico Plains, 1919-24; Oakdale, 1925.

**THURSTON, E. C.**—Admitted on trial, Georgia Conference, 1908; full membership, 1909; ordained Deacon by Bishop Smith, 1909; Elder by Bishop Henderson, 1915.

Georgia: 1908; St. George, 1909; Dunnagan and Simpson, 1910-11; Ellijay, 1912. Holston: Chatata Circuit, 1912-14; Whitwell, 1915; Tracy City, 1916; Well Springs, 1917-18; Dayton, 1919; retired, 1920.

**TORREY, H. M.**—Admitted on trial, Central Tennessee Conference, 1902; full membership, 1904; ordained Deacon by Bishop Cranstons, 1904; Elder by Bishop McDowell, 1906.

Central Tennessee: Nashville, 1902-04; Tullahoma, 1905-07; Dickson, 1908-09; Holston: Elizabethton, 1910-11; Rogersville, 1912-13; LaFollette, 1914-15; Newcomb, 1917; Jacksboro Circuit, 1918; Well Springs, 1919; retired, 1920.

**TREUSCHEL, WALTER H.**—Holston, 1923; assistant Pastor, First Church, Knoxville, 1923; Sy., 1924.

**WALKER, RICHARD E.**—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1904; full membership, 1906; ordained Deacon by Bishop Warren, 1904; Elder by Bishop Anderson, 1908.

Holston: Newport Circuit, 1904; Oakland Circuit, 1905-06; Jonesboro, 1907-08; New Salem, 1909-10; Chuckey, 1911-13; Sulphur Springs, 1914-15; Rogersville and Whitehorn, 1916; Bailey-ton and Whitehorn, 1917-18; Greeneville Circuit, 1919-20; Parrottsville, 1921.

WARE, JOSEPH T.—Admitted on trial, Georgia Conference, 1892; full membership, 1894; ordained Deacon by Bishop Ninde, 1894; Elder by Bishop Foss, 1897.

Georgia: Sulvania and Tatnal, 1892; Ellijay, 1893; Cohutta, 1894; Blairsville, 1895; Hiwassee, 1896-98; Ellijay, 1899-1901; Blue Ridge and Mineral Bluff, 1902; Morgantown, 1903. Holston: Little River, 1903; Maryville Circuit, 1904; Andersonville, 1905; Scaraborough, 1906-07; Rutledge, 1908-09; Mountain City and Butler, 1910; Roan Mountain, 1911; Glenford, 1912-13; Cleveland Circuit, 1914; Tracy City, 1915; retired, 1916.

WATSON, FREDERICK D.—Admitted on trial, Holston Conference, 1911; full membership, 1913; ordained Deacon by Bishop Henderson, 1913.

Holston: Supply, 1910; Mountain City Circuit, 1911; Limestone, 1912; student, 1913; Limestone, 1914; Fall Branch, 1915; student, 1916; Fairview and Fairmont, 1917; Bloomingdale, 1918; Elizabethton, 1919; left without appointment to attend school, 1920; Manker Memorial, 1921-22; left without appointment to attend school, 1923; Rockwood, 1924.

WILKERSON, WILLIAM D.—Holston, full membership, 1924; Oakwood, 1924.

WILLIAMS, GEORGE C.—Holston, 1922; Trinity, 1922.

WILLIAMSON, H. G.—Holston: London, 1919-20; left without appointment to attend school, 1921-22; Sevierville, 1923-24; Ridge-dale, 1925.

WINKLER, E. J.—Admitted on trial, Blue Ridge Conference, 1885; full membership, 1888; ordained Deacon by Bishop Walden, 1886; Elder by Bishop Fitzgerald, 1888.

Blue Ridge: Creston, 1885; Boone, 1886; Forsythe, 1887-88; Red Hill, 1889; Coast District, 1890-91; Greensboro District, 1892-93; Clyde District, 1894; Sy., 1895-96; Wilkesboro, 1897-98; Rose Land, 1899; Boone and Bakersville, 1900-03; Kings Mountain, 1905; Gladstone, 1906. Columbia River: Davenport, 1907-08. Georgia: Dunnagan and Simpson, 1909. Holston: Chatata, 1910; Cleveland Circuit, 1911; Chestua, 1912; retired, 1913.

WINSLOW, WALTER C.—Admitted on trial, 1914; full membership, 1916; ordained Deacon by Bishop Bristol, 1916; Elder by Bishop Bristol, 1918.

Holston: Bloomingdale, 1914; Limestone, 1915; student, 1917; Fall Branch Circuit, 1918; Fordtown, 1919-20; Fall Branch, 1921; Mosheim, 1922.

WOODYARD, E. O.—Supply, Mountain Lake Park, and Albright, two years. West Virginia Conference: Albright, 1904-06; Newberg, 1906-08; Pennsboro and Cairo, 1908-10. Holston: St. James, Chattanooga, 1910-11; East Main Ave., Knoxville, 1912; Roanoke, 1913; Bristol District, 1914-16; Greeneville, 1917-18; Kingsport, 1919.

WRENN, CHARLES G.—Holston, full membership, 1923.  
Left without appointment to attend school, 1923.

YOUNG, H. H.—Holston, 1920.  
Professor of Religious Education, University of Chattanooga, 1920; Professor of Religious Education, University of Puget Sound, 1921-24; left without appointment to attend school, 1925.



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IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR EXAMINERS  
AND CANDIDATES

1. The work of the Board is divided into six groups: Admission on trial; first, second, third, and fourth years; and Local Orders. Each group to be in the hands of a committee—one of the committeemen to be chairman of the committee.

2. Mid-year examinations are required; time and place to be arranged and announced.

3. The day preceding the opening of the Annual Conference is the time appointed for examination.

4. The candidates are urged to buy their books at the very opening of the year, and study carefully the mid-year subjects, and after the mid-year examinations make complete survey of the remaining subjects immediately. The examiners are required to correspond with the candidates in the early winter, preparatory to mid-year examinations.

5. The requirements of the Discipline are to make the examinations written if practicable, and two weeks ahead of the Annual Conference to send written questions to the Chairman of the Board.

6. The chairman of each group is to submit in writing the grades of the candidates in his department to the registrar.

7. The provision for the mid-year examinations does not deprive any candidate of the opportunity of being examined on any subject at the time appointed for the examination at the Annual Conference.

8. The Board of Examiners, together with the candidates, are called to meet at the place of next Annual Conference session the night previous to the day of Conference examinations.



## SCHEDULE OF EXAMINATIONS

ARLO A. BROWN, Chairman

### Admission

- R. L. STAPLETON, Chairman—9 to 10 a. m.: Life of John Wesley; 1 to 2 p. m., A Plain Account of Christian Perfection; 2 to 3 p. m., Selections from the Writings of Wesley.  
W. K. HARRIS—10 to 11 a. m., A Bible Biography.  
W. M. DYE—11 to 12 a. m., Doctrine and Discipline of the Methodist Episcopal Church; 3 to 4 p. m., American History; written sermon.

### First Year

- R. M. MILLARD, Chairman—9 to 10 a. m., New Testament History; 2 to 3 p. m., The Work of Preaching. ,  
GEO. C. WILLIAMS—10 to 11 a. m., Evangelism.  
W. M. DYE—1 to 2 p. m., The Art of Writing English.  
N. H. CARDWELL 11 to 12 a. m., Human Behavior; 3 to 4 p. m., Reading Course.

### Second Year

- R. A. KILBURN, Chairman—9 to 10 a. m., Dictionary of the Bible; 1 to 2 p. m., The Christian's View of the Old Testament.  
W. K. HARRIS—11 to 12 a. m., History of the Christian Church.,  
W. A. SMITH—2 to 3 p. m., The Pupil and the Teacher; 4 to 5 p. m., The Graded Sunday School.  
S. E. STRINGHAM—10 to 11 a. m., The Pastoral Office; 3 to 4 p. m., Reading Course. , ,

### Third Year

- G. J. CRESWELL, Chairman—9 to 10 a. m., Beacon Lights of Prophecy; 1 to 2 p. m., Foundations of Christian Belief.  
H. G. WILLIAMSON—The Church and Industrial Reconstruction.  
G. T. BYRD—10 to 11 a. m., Neely's Parliamentary Practice.  
J. F. ROWE—11 to 12 a. m., Religions of Mankind; 3 to 4 p. m., Reading Course. ,

### Fourth Year

- G. T. BYRD, Chairman—9 to 10 a. m., Paul and His Apostles.  
R. A. KILBURN—10 to 11 a. m., The Book of Isaiah.  
GEORGE C. WILLIAMS—1 to 2 p. m., System of Christian Doctrine.  
H. G. WILLIAMSON—11 to 12 a. m., Freedom and Christian Conduct; 3 to 4 p. m., Reading Course.

### Local Preachers

W. A. GRAYBEAL, Chairman; R. A. KILBURN

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NOEL H. CARDWELL, Registrar

## CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION

This is to certify that on the 18th day of October, 1925, I ordained, under election by the Holston Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, the following persons, as:

### Elders

J. WARREN BROYLES  
HOWARD G. BYRD  
JOSEPH F. COLDWELL  
JOSEPH M. DEW  
ROLAND C. ELZEY  
JAMES M. GAMBILL  
EDWIN H. OGLE

### Deacons

ISAAC G. CROWDER  
WILLIAM R. CURTIS  
E. GORDON GILLESPIE  
WORTH M. GREER  
WALTER L. HUGHES  
THOMAS O. MARSHALL  
SOLON McNEES  
MARK M. MOORE  
JOHN H. MYERS  
W. E. O. ROBESON

BISHOP H. LESTER SMITH,  
Presiding Bishop

Done at Newport, Tennessee.

## APPOINTMENTS

Figures indicate years of service. †Undergraduate. \*Supply.

### BRISTOL DISTRICT

J. F. Reed, District Superintendent (4)

Bristol.....	W. K. Harris(1)
Christiansburg.....	N. A. Conner(5)
Clinch Valley.....	N. A. Conner(5)
Floyd.....	G. W. Woodward(3)
Fries.....	†W. H. Johnson(1)
Franklin.....	*H. T. Weaver(10)
Glenford.....	E. L. Bowyer(1)
Greendale.....	*F. J. Campbell(1)
Gate City.....	W. A. Graybeal(2)
Hilton.....	*C. L. Poulston(2)
Jonesville.....	*W. F. Barber(1)
Konnarock.....	*H. A. Blankinship(3)
Lafayette.....	*F. B. Slusher(2)
Marion.....	†Monroe Ball(1)
Nickelsville.....	I. L. Cox(4)
Pattonville.....	*J. H. Ely(1)
Pennington Gap.....	D. B. Cooper(2)
Roanoke.....	J. H. Ford(3)
Radford.....	†C. E. Trentham(1)
Rose Hill.....	†I. G. Crowder(2)
Russell.....	*J. A. Daugherty(1)
Riner.....	G. L. Shupe(1)
St. Charles.....	J. L. Cupp(1)
Salem.....	O. C. Melton(2)
Swords Creek Mission.....	*C. M. Perkins(1)
Wise.....	*C. E. Bevins(1)
Wytheville.....	J. M. Gambill(1)

### CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT

M. P. Murphy, District Superintendent (4)

Athens.....	J. M. Emert(1)
Athens Circuit.....	A. C. Ketron(2)
Big Springs.....	*Sam Pritchard(1)
Burks and Fairview.....	*R. C. Weisner(1)
Chatata Circuit.....	*Chas. Holliday(1)

## Chattanooga:

Alton Park.....	C. F. Lucas(1)
Avondale.....	*J. L. Chaney(2)
First Church.....	Charles A. Briggs(1)
Highland Park.....	R. L. Stapleton(3)
Manker Memorial.....	S. E. Stringham(3)
Red Bank.....	B. M. Morrison(1)
Ridgedale.....	H. G. Williamson(1)
St. James.....	†W. L. Pickering(2)
St. Marks.....	L. D. Hamil(1)
Cleveland.....	W. A. Smith(3)
Cleveland Circuit.....	†W. H. Coffee(1)
Coalmont.....	L. E. Kilgore(2)
Copperhill.....	M. H. Rambo(2)
Daisy.....	T. H. Roach(1)
East Athens Circuit.....	*H. L. Webb(2)
Englewood.....	*J. F. Wyatt(1)
Etowah.....	W. M. Dye(3)
Etowah Circuit.....	*Roy Barfield(1)
Fairmount.....	*G. E. Blanchard(3)
Jasper and Whitwell.....	*C. A. Athearn(1)
John A. Patten Community Center.....	S. E. Taylor(1)
McDonald Circuit.....	†J. O. Lawson(1)
	*R. R. Ghormley(1)
Mt. Airy Circuit.....	†V. C. Nichols(1)
North Athens.....	†W. R. Curtis(1)
Patten Center Circuit.....	*G. F. Swafford(2)
Soddy.....	†W. C. Daniels(1)
South Pittsburg.....	*Cranston Clayton(1)
Tellico Plains.....	†F. H. Carey(1)
Tracy City Circuit.....	To be supplied

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## HARRIMAN DISTRICT

J. Fred Rowe, District Superintendent (1)

Andersonville .....	†David A. Spessard(1)
Arthur.....	*John T. Sproles(1)
Big Valley.....	*Marvin B. Gass(1)
Burrville.....	Timothy V. Peters(2)
	Patten R. Broyles(1)
Byington and Solway.....	George S. Bales(1)
Clinton and Taylors.....	Elbert M. Boyd(1)
Crossville Circuit.....	†John H. Meyers(1)
Dayton and Spivey.....	Eli R. Branam(1)
Decatur Circuit.....	W. Haskel Branam(1)
Graysville Circuit.....	Samuel N. Eblen(1)
Harriman and Woods.....	Luther B. Clark(1)
Heiskell.....	*Luther Clear(2)
Jellico.....	Joe M. Hampton(1)
Kingston and Bethel.....	†Worth M. Grier(2)
LaFollette.....	†Otho C. Nichols(1)

Maynardville.....	*James M. Hughes(2)
Morgan Springs.....	*John W. Atkinson(3)
Newcomb and Jacksboro.....	M. L. Sivils(1)
New Tazewell.....	*M. H. Prevett(1)
Oakdale.....	Charles H. Taylor(1)
Oliver Springs.....	*W. O. Duncan(1)
Rockwood.....	Fred D. Watson(2)
Sunbright and Lancing.....	*Henry W. McDonald(1)
Vine Grove.....	*Fred E. Denton(1)
Well Springs.....	*George W. Atkinson(1)

### JOHNSON CITY DISTRICT

W. L. Oliver, District Superintendent (3)

Baileyton.....	*J. W. Hamilton(2)
Chuckey.....	I. B. Leonard(2)
Elizabethton.....	Cicero Dobbs(2)
Fall Branch.....	To be supplied
Fall Branch Circuit.....	M. N. Davenport(1)
Greenville.....	J. W. Boling(1)
Greenville Circuit.....	T. H. Conner(2)
Johnson City.....	O. R. Tarwater(1)
Kingsport.....	E. O. Woodyard(7)
Kingsport Circuit.....	*W. H. Quarry(1)
Limestone.....	O. A. Lawson(2)
Morristown.....	N. H. Cardwell(1)
Morristown Circuit.....	*S. G. Ketron(1)
Mosheim.....	W. C. Winslow(4)
Mt. City and Butler.....	D. C. Slagle(2)
Mt. City Circuit.....	D. L. Howell(8)
Newport.....	J. W. Broyles(2)
Newport Circuit.....	*W. S. Whittenburg(2)
Parrottsville.....	R. E. Walker(5)
Pittman Center.....	C. J. Bornman(3)
Pittman Center Mission.....	To be supplied
Roan Mountain.....	G. W. Matney(4)
Rutledge.....	*J. W. Grace(1)
Rogersville.....	*Oren Marshall(1)
Sneedville.....	*Enos Wagner(1)
Surgoinsville.....	T. E. Goodman(1)
Sulphur Springs.....	E. G. Gillespie(3)
Telford.....	S. A. Hopper(2)
Unicoi.....	*W. Z. Harsbarger(2)

### KNOXVILLE DISTRICT

W. C. Martin, District Superintendent (1)

Alcoa.....	†Solon McNees(2)
Asbury.....	†Mark M. Moore(2)
Chestnut Hill.....	†W. L. Russell(1)
Dandridge Circuit.....	†Dewey Jenkins(1)



Erie Circuit (Sup.).....	*H. L. Clark(2)
Fair Garden Circuit.....	J. O. Cox(2)
Friendsville and Walland.....	†J. F. Coldwell(2)
Jefferson City Circuit.....	†Jesse P. Price(2)
Knoxville:	
Burlington.....	*W. H. Graves(1)
East Main Avenue.....	C. B. Tarwater(1)
First Church.....	R. M. Millard(1)
Inskip.....	J. M. Dew(2)
Knoxville Circuit.....	C. H. Ely(2)
Lonsdale.....	H. M. Hawk(1)
Oakwood.....	W. D. Wilkinson(3)
Park City.....	W. F. Pitts(1)
Second Church.....	G. J. Creswell(6)
South Knoxville.....	*G. C. Smith(1)
Trinity.....	G. C. Williams(4)
Vestal.....	G. T. Francisco(2)
Whittle Springs.....	J. A. Mitchell
Lenoir City.....	Roland C. Elzey(1)
Lenoir City Circuit.....	J. W. Cardwell (2)
Little River Circuit.....	*W. L. Roberts (1)
Loudon.....	†T. O. Marshall(5)
Maryville.....	G. T. Byrd(2)
Maryville Circuit.....	F. P. Sanders(4)
Meadow Circuit.....	*B. M. Bull(1)
New Salem Circuit.....	†Ernest Pelleaux(1)
Pigeon Forge.....	†M. F. Goss(2)
Sevierville.....	J. T. Bird(1)
Sevierville Circuit.....	C. L. Kirby(1)
Thorn Grove Circuit.....	W. M. Bull(2)
Townsend.....	E. H. Ogle(1)

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## SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

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- A. A. BROWN, D.D., President University of Chattanooga, member First Church, Chattanooga, Quarterly Conference.
- E. A. BISHOP, D.D., President Murphy Collegiate Institute, member Sevierville Quarterly Conference.
- J. M. MELEAR, D.D., Editor Southeastern Christian Advocate, member Athens Quarterly Conference.
- J. S. BURNETT, D.D., Superintendent of the Southern Highlands Division Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, member First Church, Chattanooga, Quarterly Conference.
- C. V. BELLAMY, Conference Evangelist, member Harriman Quarterly Conference.
- A. B. McKENZIE, Conference Evangelist, member Lenoir City Quarterly Conference.
- W. E. O. ROBESON, Conference Evangelist, member Burlington Quarterly Conference.
- ROLLO A. KILBURN, Director of Religious Education and Rural Leadership, and Evangelism, Tennessee Wesleyan College, member Athens Quarterly Conference.
- JOHN W. PRINCE, Director of Religious Education, University of Chattanooga, member First Church, Chattanooga, Quarterly Conference.
- C. G. WRENN, R. M. HUFF, BENJAMIN F. YOUNG, H. G. BYRD, W. E. BISHOP, J. E. MILBURN, left without appointment to attend one of our church schools.
- P. L. CLONCE, Conference Evangelist.

## DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS

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The Holston Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, held in Newport, Tennessee, from October 14th to October 18th, 1925. Bishop H. Lester Smith, Presiding; Secretary, O. R. Tarwater, P. O., Johnson City, Tenn.; Statistician, W. C. Martin, P. O., Knoxville, Tenn.; Treasurer, W. F. Pitts, P. O., Knoxville, Tenn.; Registrar, N. H. Cardwell, P. O., Morristown, Tenn.

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1. (a) Is this Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirements of the Discipline?

Yes. ,

(b) What Officers and Persons holding Moneys, Funds, etc., are Bonded, and in what Amounts, According to the Requirement of the Discipline?

None.

2. Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?

Chas. A. Briggs, Wisconsin.  
C. R. Garland, N. W. Iowa.  
Claudius F. Lucas, Colorado.  
Richard M. Millard, Michigan.  
Walker L. Pickering, Michigan.

3. Who have been Readmitted?

Frank H. Carey.

4. Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?
- None.

5. Who have been Received on Trial?

(a) In Studies of First Year.

James Monroe Ball, '25; William C. Daniel, '25; Willis H. Johnson, '25; David A. Spessard, '25; Eulys C. Trentham, '25.

(b) In Studies of Third Year under the Seminary Rule.

None.

**6. Who have been Continued on Trial?****(a) In Studies of First Year.**

Wm. E. Bishop, '24; J. Oliver Lawson, '23; Jesse P. Price, '24; Walter L. Russell, '24.

**(b) In Studies of Second Year.**

Moses F. Goss, '24; Otha C. Nichols, '23; O. C. Melton, '23.

**7. Who have been Discontinued?**

Austen A. Hanks, E. W. Elrod, Marvin B. Gass, Henry A. Gamble, James W. Grace, Harvey B. Johnson.

**8. Who have been admtted into Full Membership?****(a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year.**

Isaac G. Crowder, William R. Curtis, Elbert G. Gillespie, Worth M. Greer, Thomas O. Marshall, Solon McNeas, Mark M. Moore, John H. Myers, W. E. O. Robeson.

**(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.**

J. Warren Broyles.

**9. What Members are in Studies of Third Year?****(a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.**

Isaac G. Crowder, '21; William R. Curtis, '23; Elbert G. Gillespie, '20; Worth M. Greer, '23; Thomas O. Marshall, '23; Solon McNeas, '16; John H. Myers, '23; Mark M. Moore, '23; W. E. O. Robeson, '16.

**(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.**

Walter H. Treuschel, Chas. G. Wrenn, '21.

**10. What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?**

William H. Coffee, '16; Dewey Jenkins, '22; W. Luke Pickering, William D. Wilkerson, '22.

**11. What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?****(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.**

J. Warren Broyles, Howard G. Byrd, Joseph F. Coldwell, Joseph M. Dew, Roland C. Elzey, James M. Gambill, Edwin H. Ogle.

**12. What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?****(a) As Local Preachers.**

Walter L. Hughes.

(b) Under Missionary Rule.

None.

(c) Under the Seminary Rule.

None.

(d) Elected by this Conference and Ordained elsewhere.

None.

13. What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?

None.

(a) As Local Deacons.

None.

(b) Under Missionary Rule.

None.

(c) Elected by this Conference and Ordained elsewhere.

None.

14. Who have been left without Appointment to Attend one of our Schools?

W. E. Bishop, Howard G. Byrd, R. M. Huff, J. E. Milburn, W. H. Ragan, C. G. Wrenn, H. H. Young.

15. Was the Character of each Preacher examined?

Yes. This was strictly done in open conference.

16. Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?

H. E. Murkette, Wisconsin; Victor W. Thrall, Michigan.

17. Who have Died?

Nathanael K. Rowe, John Sanders.

18. Who have been Located at their own Request?

T. O. Brumley.

19. Who have been Located?

None.

20. Who have Withdrawn?

(a) From the Ministry.

None.



**(b) From the Ministry and Membership of the Church.**

Mackey J. Brown.

**(c) By Surrender of the Ministerial Office.**

None.

**21. Who have been Deprived of the Ministerial Office?**

None.

**22. Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?**

None.

**23. Who have been Expelled?**

None.

**24. What other personal Notation should be made?**

O. C. Melton transferred from Blue Ridge Atlantic, in studies of second year.

S. N. Eblen made effective; J. D. Harris made effective.

**25. Who are the Supernumerary Ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this Relation?**

W. H. Newton (4); E. M. Pippin (2); W. H. Treuschel (2).

**26. Who are the Retired Ministers?**

J. H. Amis; S. P. Angel; T. R. Baker; W. S. Bandy; T. W. Brown; M. C. Bruner; G. W. Coleman; T. J. Crumley; E. C. Ferguson; J. F. Giles; W. S. Grant; C. D. Houchins; A. H. Ingle; S. G. Ketron; D. T. Lawson; R. L. Leslie; C. W. Miller; J. W. McGhee; H. W. McKenzie; M. H. Monroe; A. A. Newman; J. D. Roberson; J. J. Robinette; L. A. Rominger; A. M. Rose; G. R. Rowan; J. K. Rumburg; C. N. Sadler; J. S. Strange; E. C. Thurston; H. M. Torrey; J. T. Ware; E. J. Winkler.

**27. Who have been granted Leave of Absence?**

None.

**28. Who are the Triers of Appeals?**

E. O. Woodyard; L. B. Clark; B. M. Morrison; W. S. Grant; W. C. Martin; Reserves: W. A. Graybeal; Charles A. Briggs.

**29. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension?**

See Report.

30. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions?

No Report.

31. What is the Statistical Report?

See the Statistician's Report.

32. What is the Conference Treasurer's Report?

See the Conference Treasurer's Report.

33. (a) What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?

\$44,522.

(b) What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the Annual Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?

\$15,494.

34. What are the Claims on the Conference Funds?

For Annuity distribution, 1290 years multiplied by the Disciplinary rate of \$17 per year, \$..... For Necessitous distribution, \$..... Total, \$21,930.

35. (a) What has been Received on these Claims?

From the Book Concern, \$1913.00; From Annual Conf. Investments, \$30.00; From the Chartered Fund, \$40.00; From Pastoral Charges, \$7781.00; From Board of Pensions and Relief, \$1000;

From other sources, \$2,622.91. Total, \$13,386.91.

(b) How has it been Applied?

See Report of Board of Stewards.

36. What amount has been apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference, to be raised for the Support of Conference Claimants?

\$16,325.00.

37. What amount has been paid by the Conference Treasurer to the Board of Pensions and Relief for Connectional Relief?

\$.....

38. Is there a Conference Sustentation Fund Society, and what is its Report?

None.

39. Where are the Preachers Stationed?

See List of Appointments.

40. Where shall the Next Conference be held?

Highland Park.

## CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

### FIRST DAY

#### Morning Session

The Holston Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church met for its Eighty-second session in the Methodist Episcopal Church at Newport, Tenn., at 8:30 a. m., Oct. 14, 1925, Bishop H. Lester Smith, presiding. Conference sang hymn 208 and Bishop Richard J. Cooke led in prayer. After reading a portion of I Cor. Chap. 11 and John 12:24-25, Bishop Smith delivered an inspiring, heart-searching devotional address on the Atonement, emphasizing the thought of the demand which the Atonement makes for a life of self-sacrifice on the part of all followers of Jesus Christ.

The Bishop, assisted by Bishop Cooke, the District Superintendents, J. F. Reed, M. P. Murphy, H. M. Hawk, W. L. Oliver and J. W. Boling, and the pastor of the local church, J. W. Broyles, administered the Holy Communion.

**Deceased Members.** While conference stood, as a mark of respect to those who had died during the year, the Secretary read the names of the deceased members: Nathanael K. Rowe and John Sanders. Bishop Smith led the conference in prayer.

**Roll Call.** The Secretary of the last conference called the roll and the following members of the conference answered to their names: S. P. Angel, G. S. Bales, J. T. Bird, J. W. Boling, E. L. Bowyer, E. M. Boyd, A. A. Brown, M. J. Brown, E. R. Branam, T. O. Brumley, M. C. Bruner, W. M. Bull, H. G. Byrd, G. T. Byrd, N. H. Cardwell, P. L. Clonce, J. F. Coldwell, N. A. Conner, T. H. Conner, D. B. Cooper, G. J. Creswell, J. O. Cox, J. L. Cupp, M. N. Davenport, J. M. Dew, Cicero Dobbs, W. M. Dye, S. N. Eblen, C. H. Ely, R. C. Elzey, J. M. Emert, J. H. Ford, G. T. Francisco, J. M. Gambill, T. E. Goodman, W. S. Grant, W. A. Graybeal, L. D. Hamil, J. M. Hampton, W. K. Harris, H. M. Hawk, S. A. Hopper, R. M. Huff, Dewey Jenkins, S. G. Ketron, R. A. Kilburn, C. L. Kirby, O. A. Lawson, I. B. Leonard, J. F. Lynch, W. C. Martin, G. W. Matney, J. M. Melear, J. A. Mitchell, B. M. Morrison, M. P. Murphy, A. A. Newman, E. H. Ogle, W. L. Oliver, T. V. Peters, E. M. Pippin, W. F. Pitts, M. H. Rambo, J. F. Reed, J. J. Robinette, G. R. Rowan, F. P. Sanders, G. L. Shupe, D. C. Slagle, W. A. Smith, R. L. Stapleton, S. E. Stringham, C. B. Tarwater, O. R. Tarwater, C. H. Taylor, R. E. Walker, F. D. Watson, G. C. Williams, G. W. Woodward, E. O. Woodyard, W. D. Wilkerson, and W. C. Winslow,—81.

**Probationers.** The names of the probationers were called and the following answered to their names: J. W. Broyles, I. G. Crowder, W. R. Curtis, E. G. Gillespie, M. F. Goss, W. M. Greer, H. B. Johnson, J. O. Lawson, Solon McNeese, J. H. Myers, O. C. Nichols,—11.

**Organization of Conference.** On nomination of J. M. Melear, O. R. Tarwater was elected Secretary. J. M. Emert and C. B. Tarwater were elected assistants to the Secretary. L. D. Hamil was elected postmaster for the conference. G. J. Creswell was elected agent for the Methodist Review.

**Bishop Smith.** Bishop Smith expressed appreciation of the courtesy shown him by Bishop Thirkield, Resident Bishop of the Area, and of the privilege of being associated with Bishop Cooke, his colleague in the Episcopacy.

**Bishop Cooke.** On motion of R. L. Stapleton the privilege of the floor of the conference was extended to Bishop Cooke.

**Excused.** O. A. Lawson was excused from attending the afternoon session. A. A. Brown was excused from attending further sessions of the conference.

**Question 14.** The character of J. F. Reed was passed and he read his report as Superintendent of the Bristol District. The characters of all the effective Elders on the Bristol District were passed and those present reported from their charges on payments for ministerial support, number of conversions and accessions to the church and increase or decrease in payments for World Service. The character of M. P. Murphy was passed and he read his report as District Superintendent of the Chattanooga District. The characters of all effective Elders on the Chattanooga District were passed and they reported their work.

**Conference Program.** It was moved by R. L. Stapleton that the printed program be made the official program of the conference, provided that such changes as became necessary might be made from time to time. The motion was adopted.

**Dr. A. A. Brown,** President of the University of Chattanooga, was presented and spoke in behalf of the institution.

**Dr. D. S. Patterson,** representing the Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals, was introduced and spoke in behalf of the Board.

**Dr. T. E. Newland** was introduced and spoke in the interest of the Board of Hospitals and Homes.

**Dr. E. M. Conover** was presented to the conference and represented the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension. Bishop Cooke addressed the conference urging upon the pastors the importance of loyalty to the Board.

**Drafts.** A communication from the Book Concern was read by the Secretary and the Bishop announced the receipt of a draft for \$40.00 from the chartered fund and of \$1913.00 from the Book Concern. These were accepted with thanks from the conference, and it was ordered that they be placed in the hands of the conference treasurer.

**Vacancies.** R. M. Millard, R. A. Kilburn and S. E. Stringham were appointed to fill vacancies on the Board of Examiners. W. B. Townsend, R. M. Millard, Charles Briggs and F. D. Watson were elected to fill vacancies on the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension.

**Referred.** The name of W. R. Suman was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations with view to Restoration of Credentials.

**Vouchers.** On motion of W. F. Pitts, conference voted to follow the plan of last year in reporting in the statistics, vouchers for payments on the University Endowment Fund.

**Constitutional Questions.** On motion of J. M. Melear, conference voted to make consideration of Constitutional Questions the order of the day for Friday at 10 o'clock a. m. It was moved by O. R. Tarwater that these questions be voted on without debate. W. M. Dye moved to amend this motion by requiring that these votes be taken by ballot. The amendment was adopted. The motion was adopted as amended.

After the announcements, conference adjourned with the benediction by Bishop Cooke.

### AFTERNOON SESSION

Conference met in statistical session at 2 p. m., with Dr. J. M. Melear in the chair. After singing, J. T. Bird led in prayer.

The roll of charges was called and pastors presented the statistical reports from their charges.

M. C. Bruner, Field Agent of the Preachers' Aid Society, was presented to the conference and spoke in behalf of the society. On motion of M. C. Bruner, R. L. Stapleton, J. J. Robinette, G. T. Byrd, W. K. Harris and L. D. Hamil were appointed a committee on revision of the constitution of the society.

E. H. Ogle was excused from attending the sessions of the conference until Thursday afternoon.

On motion of O. R. Tarwater, Mrs. C. C. Wyatt, widow of C. C. Wyatt, deceased member of the Holston Conference, was referred to the Conference Board of Stewards.

Conference adjourned with the benediction by J. J. Robinette.

### SECOND DAY

#### Morning Session

Conference convened at 8:30 a. m. and after the singing of hymn 91, J. M. Melear led in prayer. After reading a portion of II Cor. Chap. 12, Bishop Smith delivered a forceful and inspiring devotional



address, which was enjoyed by a number of visitors as well as by the members of the conference.

**Journal.** The Secretary read the journal of the preceding day's sessions and it was approved by the conference.

**Delinquent Charges.** The roll of delinquent charges was called and statistics received from pastors who had not previously reported.

**Question 14.** The character of H. M. Hawk was passed and he read his report as District Superintendent of the Harriman District. The characters of the effective Elders on the Harriman District were passed and they reported their work.

The character of J. W. Boling was passed and he read his report as District Superintendent of the Knoxville District. The characters of all the effective Elders on the Knoxville District were passed and they reported for their charges. The names of the effective Elders in detached service were called and their characters passed.

**Question 1.** Is this Annual Conference incorporated according to the requirements of the discipline? It is.

(b) What Officers and Persons holding Moneys, Funds, etc., are bonded and in what amounts, according to the requirements of the discipline? None.

**Question 6.** Who have been continued on trial? Moses F. Goss was continued on trial and passed to studies of the second year. William E. Bishop was continued on trial in studies of the first year and conference requested that he be left without appointment to attend one of our church schools. Jesse P. Price and Walter L. Russell were continued on trial in studies of the first year.

**Question 7.** Who have been discontinued? Austen Hanks was discontinued. Elbert G. Gillespie, having been on trial for four years, was automatically discontinued by rule of the discipline.

**Question 6.** Continued. J. Oliver Lawson was continued on trial in studies of the first year.

**Question 8 (b).** J. Warren Broyles was admitted to full membership in the conference, graduated from the Course of Study and elected to Elders Orders under the Seminary Rule. Isaac G. Crowder, Thomas O. Marshall, Solon McNeese, Mark M. Moore, John H. Myers, William R. Curtis and Worth M. Greer were admitted to full membership in the conference, elected to Deacons Orders and placed in studies of the third year. E. W. Elrod, Henry A. Gamble, Marvin B. Gass, James W. Grace and Harvey B. Johnson were discontinued. Otha C. Nichols was continued on trial in studies of the second year. The case of W. E. O. Robeson was deferred until a later session of the conference. It was announced that O. C. Melton, received by transfer from the Blue Ridge Atlantic Conference, is on trial in studies of the second year.

**Question 9.** What Members are in Studies of the Third Year? Dewey Jenkins and William D. Wilkerson were advanced to studies of the fourth year. Roland C. Elzey was graduated from the course of study and further action on his case deferred to a later session. Mackey J. Brown, Walter H. Treuschel and Charles Wrenn were continued in studies of the third year. T. O. Brumley was located at his own request.

**Athens School and University of Chattanooga.** On motion of J. M. Melear documents referring to the separation of the Athens School from the University of Chattanooga, and other matters pertaining to these schools were referred to the Conference Board of Education.

S. A. Hopper and J. M. Hampton were excused from attending further sessions of the conference during the day.

It was moved that when conference adjourned it adjourn to meet at 2 o'clock p. m. The motion was adopted. Conference adjourned with the benediction by Bishop Cooke.

#### AFTERNOON SESSION

Conference met in regular session at 2 p. m. After the singing of hymn No. 1, S. P. Angel led in prayer.

It was moved by W. M. Dye that the case of Elbert G. Gillespie, who had been discontinued at the morning session, be reconsidered. The motion was adopted. On motion of J. M. Melear, action on his case was deferred until Friday.

**Question 5.** Who have been received on trial? James Monroe Ball, William C. Daniel, Willis H. Johnson. David A. Spessard and Eulys C. Trentham, having passed satisfactorily the required examination, were admitted on trial and placed in studies of the first year.

**Question 3.** Who have been readmitted. None.

**Question 4.** Who have been received on credentials? None.

**Question 12.** What others have been elected and ordained Deacons? (a) As local preachers. Walter L. Hughes, having passed the required examination, was elected to Deacons Orders as a local preacher.

**Question 12.** What others have been elected and ordained Elders? None.

**Question 14.** Who have been left without appointment to attend one of our church schools? W. E. Bishop, C. G. Wrenn, R. M. Huff, W. H. Ragan and J. E. Milburn.

**Question 25.** Who are the supernumerary ministers? W. H. Newton was continued in the supernumerary relation. G. R. Rowan and D. T. Lawson, who had been given notice at last conference to be ready to take the effective relation at this conference or locate, were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations. It was agreed

that a mistake had been made in the record in the case of E. M. Pippin, whose name was on the list of those who were notified to be ready, at this conference, to take the effective relation or locate. His case was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations. S. N. Eblen was granted the effective relation.

H. H. Young was left without appointment to attend school.

Question 20. Who have withdrawn? None.

Question 23. Who have been expelled? None.

On motion of R. L. Stapleton, the granting of diplomas to those who have completed the course of study was made the order of the day for Saturday at 10 o'clock.

W. K. Harris was excused from membership on the auditing committee and G. S. Bales elected in his place.

O. C. Melton was excused from attending further sessions of the conference.

On motion of H. M. Hawk, the District Superintendents were given the privilege of using Marvin B. Gass and Henry A. Gamble as supplies.

Vacancies. On nomination of J. W. Boling, ministers and laymen were elected to fill the vacancies on the various Conference Boards. (See list of conference boards).

After the singing of the doxology, conference adjourned with the benediction by Bishop Smith.

### THIRD DAY

#### Morning Session

Conference convened at 8:30 a. m., and after the singing of hymns 548 and 461 J. J. Robinette led in prayer. Bishop Smith read a portion of the first chapter of John and delivered a forceful and helpful address on "Jesus The Light of the World."

Journal. The journal of the preceding day's session was read by the Secretary and approved by the conference.

Question 6. Elbert G. Gillespie, having passed satisfactorily the required examination, was admitted to full membership, elected to Deacon's Orders and placed in studies of the third year.

Question 3. Who have been readmitted? Frank H. Carey was readmitted and placed in the same year of the Course of Study he was pursuing when located.

Question 25. Who are the supernumerary ministers? J. D. Harris was changed from the supernumerary to the effective relation and

conference requested that he be appointed conference evangelist. D. T. Lawson was granted the retired relation. G. R. Rowan was granted the retired relation for other reasons than health or age and therefore without claim on the Annuity Funds of the church. See Discipline Par. 341, Section 1. W. H. Treuschel was continued in the supernumerary relation.

**Question 2.** Who have been received by transfer and from what conferences? Claudius F. Lucas from Colorado, Walter L. Pickering and Richard M. Millard from Michigan, Charles A. Briggs from Wisconsin.

J. M. Melear moved that the conference reconsider the motion to vote on constitutional questions without debate. The motion was adopted. It was moved that the motion be amended to provide that the vote on Methodist Unification be taken without debate, but that the privilege of discussion be granted the conference on the question of admission of laymen into the Annual Conference. The amendment was adopted. The motion was adopted as amended.

**Order of the Day.** The order of the day was taken up. R. L. Stapleton, G. T. Francisco and S. E. Stringham were appointed tellers, and the vote was taken by ballot on unification.

**Question 6.** W. E. O. Robeson was admitted to full membership in the conference.

**Question 8.** Isaac G. Crowder, William R. Curtis, Worth M. Greer, Thomas O. Marshall, Solon McNeese, Mark M. Moore, John H. Myers, Elbert G. Gillespie and W. E. O. Robeson were called forward for admission into full membership. An instructive and inspiring address to the class by the Bishop was based upon the Disciplinary Questions asked of those seeking admission to full membership in the Annual Conference. After giving satisfactory answers to these questions, these brethren were admitted to full membership and were extended the right hand of fellowship by Bishop Smith and Bishop Cooke.

Conference being in process of voting on the question of unification, the privilege of the ballot was extended to those admitted to full membership and to the treasurer, statistician and their assistants.

**Result of Ballot.** It was announced by the bishop that the vote on unification was 101 for and two against. Announcement was made that in the lay electoral conference the vote was 82 for and two against.

The question of admission of laymen to the Annual Conference was taken up and the subject was discussed by J. J. Robinette. The vote was taken resulting in 14 votes for and 87 against.

**Introductions.** Prof. C. J. Hewit, representing Garrett Biblical Institute, was introduced and spoke in behalf of the Institution.

Rev. Andrew B. Wood, Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, was introduced and spoke in behalf of the League and its work.



**Historical Committee.** On motion of the Secretary, the conference appointed a Historical Committee consisting of J. S. Burnette, J. J. Robinette and M. C. Bruner.

**Draft.** The Bishop announced the receipt of a draft for \$1000.00 from the Board of Pensions and Relief. This was accepted with thanks and placed in the hands of the Treasurer of the conference.

G. C. Williams was excused from attending further sessions of the conference.

Rev. T. A. Stafford, representing the Board of Pensions and Relief, was introduced to the conference and, after the passage of the motion for adjournment, pronounced the benediction.

#### Afternoon Session

Conference met at 2 o'clock and, after the singing of hymn 334, G. C. Williams led in prayer, J. M. Melear occupying the chair in the absence of the Bishop, stated that the purpose of the meeting was the consideration of the plans for the conference claimants of the church, of the Board of Pensions and Relief. Rev. Thomas A. Stafford, representing this Board, was introduced and addressed the conference. By vote of the conference, the plan was approved in general outline and it was ordered that a commission of five ministers be appointed to study the subject and bring in recommendations at the next session of the conference.

**Missionary Sermon.** At 3:30 p. m. the conference and a large congregation of visitors received vision and inspiration from the Conference Missionary sermon by Bishop Thirkield on "The Responsibility of the English Speaking People for the Evangelization of the World."

### FOURTH DAY

#### Morning Session

Conference convened at 8:30 a. m. and, after the singing of hymn No. 1, J. W. Broyles led in prayer. Bishop Smith read portions of the 5th and 10th chapters of John and delivered a forceful and illuminating address on "The Spiritual Life and the Religion of Childhood".

**Journal.** The journal of the preceding day's sessions was read by the Secretary and approved by the conference.

**Resident Bishop.** Bishop Wilbur P. Thirkield Resident Bishop of the Chattanooga Area, was presented by Bishop Smith, and addressed the conference.

**Question 20.** Who have withdrawn? (b) From the Ministry and Membership of the Church. Mackey J. Brown. (See Discipline Par. 172 section 1.)



**Question 26.** Who are the retired ministers? It was announced that D. T. Lawson and G. R. Rowan had been granted the retired relation during the conference session. The names of the following ministers were called and they were continued in the retired relation: J. H. Amis, S. P. Angel, T. R. Baker, W. S. Bandy, T. W. Brown, M. C. Bruner, G. W. Coleman, T. J. Crumley, E. C. Ferguson, J. F. Giles, W. S. Grant, C. D. Houchins, A. H. Ingle, S. G. Ketron, R. L. Leslie, C. W. Miller, J. W. McGhee, H. W. McKenzie, M. H. Monroe, A. A. Newman, J. J. Robinette, L. A. Rominger, A. M. Rose, J. K. Rumburg, C. N. Sadler, J. S. Strange, E. C. Thurston, H. M. Torrey, J. T. Ware, E. J. Winkler.

**Question 40.** Where shall the next conference be held? Highland Park was placed in nomination by R. L. Stapleton and Morristown by O. R. Tarwater. The vote was taken, resulting in 37 votes for Highland Park and 16 for Morristown. The vote for Highland Park was made unanimous.

**Order of the Day.** The order of the day was taken up, viz., the granting of diplomas to those who had completed the Conference Course of Study. R. L. Stapleton addressed the conference and J. Warren Broyles, Howard G. Byrd, Joseph F. Coldwell, Joseph M. Dew, James M. Gambill, Edwin H. Ogle and Roland C. Elzey were called forward and received diplomas of graduation from the Conference Course of Study. At this time an address by Bishop Smith was much enjoyed by the conference and the visitors who were present.

**Preachers Aid Society.** Business of the Preachers Aid Society was taken up and J. W. Boling, for the cabinet, announced the names of two ministers and four laymen as nominations for the places to be filled by one minister and two laymen at this session of the conference. R. M. Millard moved that the Secretary be instructed to cast the vote of the conference for R. L. Stapleton, ministerial member and W. B. Townsend and J. H. Jarvis, lay members of the Board, as these were the men whose terms of office expired at this conference. The motion was adopted and these brethren declared re-elected members of the Board of Trustees of the Preachers Aid Society.

The report of G. F. Lockmiller, Treasurer of the Society, was presented and conference ordered that it be printed in the minutes. Richard M. Millard and Walter L. Pickering, former members of the society, having been returned to the conference by transfers, and having paid their dues, were restored to the rights and annuities pertaining to their former membership.

**Question 32.** The Conference Treasurer read his report, which was received by the conference.

**Minutes.** On motion of R. L. Stapleton, the Secretary of the conference was instructed to proceed in the same way as last year in the distribution of the conference minutes.

**Board of Stewards.** W. K. Harris read the report of the Board of Stewards showing the distribution of the funds for Conference Claimants. The report was adopted, the Board being given the privilege of making such corrections as might become necessary.

Question 11. Roland C. Elzey was graduated from the Course of Study and elected to Elders Orders.

It was moved by W. M. Dye that next year the Board of Stewards pay the conference claimants quarterly, in advance, instead of annually in advance as at present. G. T. Francisco moved that this motion be tabled. The vote was taken and the vote to table was lost. The vote on the original motion was taken and it was adopted by a vote of 39 to 29.

By vote of the conference the sum of \$8.27 which had accumulated in the treasury by pastors reporting fractions of dollars, was made available to the Treasurer for necessary expenses of the office.

Question 36. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges to be raised for the support of the conference claimants? \$16,325.00. Conference voted to direct the District Superintendents to apportion this amount equitably among the charges of the conference.

Questions 34 and 35 were asked and properly answered. (See Disciplinary Report.)

Conference voted to give the Board of Stewards the privilege of distributing checks to Conference Claimants at a later session of the conference.

On motion of H. M. Hawk, conference requested the Bishop to appoint P. L. Clonce conference Evangelist.

R. L. Stapleton moved that when conference adjourned it adjourn to meet at 7:30. The motion was adopted.

Introductions. President James L. Robb, of Tennessee Wesleyan College was introduced and spoke in behalf of the institution.

Dr. J. M. Melear was presented to the conference and spoke in the interest of the Southeastern Christian Advocate.

The motion providing that when conference adjourned it adjourn to meet at 7:30 was reconsidered. The motion was amended to provide that conference meet at the close of the Missionary Program by the Women's Missionary Societies about 4:30 in the afternoon. The amendment was adopted and the motion adopted as amended.

Dr. Luther Lovejoy was introduced to the conference and, after the singing of the doxology, pronounced the benediction.

#### Afternoon Session

Conference convened at 4:30 p. m. with Bishop Smith presiding.

Journal. The journal of the morning session was read by the Secretary and approved by the conference.

Question 10. William H. Coffee was continued in studies of the fourth year.

**Question 31.** The Statistician, W. C. Martin, read his report, which was adopted by the conference.

**Question 29.** The report of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension was read by R. A. Kilburn and adopted by the conference.

**Question 16:** Who have been transferred and to what conferences? H. E. Murkette to Wisconsin; Victor W. Thrall to Michigan.

**Dr. Lovejoy.** Dr. Luther Lovejoy, of the Department of Stewardship of the World Service Commission, was presented to the conference and delivered an informing address on World Service.

By vote of the conference, the cabinet was requested to bring in nominations for the Standing Committees to be reported at the evening session.

The conference adjourned with the benediction by Dr. Lovejoy.

#### Evening Session

Conference convened at 7:30 p. m., and listened to a forceful and impressive sermon by J. J. Robinette.

**Journal.** The journal of the afternoon session was read by the Secretary and approved by the conference.

The statement was made by the Treasurer, W. F. Pitts, that the sum of \$25.00, which had come into the treasury through pastors reporting fractions of dollars had been loaned to the Secretary of the conference to be used for the publication of the minutes. On motion of the Treasurer this sum was voted to the Secretary for the minute fund.

Rev. Harrison, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, was introduced to the conference.

**Tennessee Wesleyan College.** Recommendations from the Conference Board of Education concerning matters pertaining to the Tennessee Wesleyan College were called for. The chairman, W. F. Pitts, reported that no recommendation had been made and moved that action on this matter be deferred until next conference. R. L. Stapleton moved as a substitute for this motion, that a committee of five ministers, one from each district of the conference, be appointed to study the subject and bring in a report at the next conference. The substitute motion was discussed by Bishop Cooke and others. On motion of J. M. Melear, the privilege of the floor was granted to Judge W. L. Humphrey and President J. L. Robb, who addressed the conference. On motion of J. W. Broyles, J. W. Fisher was given the privilege of the floor and addressed the conference on the subject under discussion. J. W. Boling offered an amendment to the substitute providing that one layman from each conference district be added to the committee of five ministers to constitute a commission for study, consultation and arrangement in conjunction with the Trustees of Tennessee Wesleyan College in regard to the charter and other matters pertaining to the institution, the commission to bring in

recommendations at the next conference. The amendment was adopted. The substitute was adopted as amended and substituted for the original motion. On motion of R. L. Stapleton, conference voted to require that no member of this commission be a member of the Board of Trustees of Tennessee Wesleyan College. In behalf of the cabinet, J. W. Boling nominated for this commission, W. A. Graybeal, J. M. Smith, R. L. Stapleton, J. H. Early, F. D. Watson, I. N. Barnette, O. R. Tarwater, C. E. Rogers, J. J. Robinette and J. A. Fowler. The commission was elected by the conference.

**Board of Pensions and Relief.** On motion of J. M. Melear, R. L. Stapleton, W. K. Harris, M. C. Bruner, W. M. Bull and G. T. Byrd were elected a committee for the purpose of studying the plans of the Board of Pensions and Relief, as presented to the conference by Rev. T. A. Stafford and bringing recommendations at the next conference.

**Reports of Standing Committees.** The Standing Committees on World Service, Epworth League, Auditing of Accounts, and Social Service presented their reports and the conference ordered that they be printed in the minutes without being read.

**Special Offering.** W. F. Pitts presented a recommendation from the Conference Board of Education requesting that an offering for Tennessee Wesleyan College be taken throughout the churches of the conference. The recommendation was adopted by the conference. (See reports of special committees.)

**Corporate Session.** The conference went into corporate session and G. T. Francisco, Chairman of the Board of Incorporators, took the chair. Reorganization was taken up and G. T. Francisco was re-elected Chairman, R. L. Stapleton, Secretary, and M. C. Bruner, Treasurer. There being no further business, the corporate session adjourned.

**Distribution of Checks for Conference Claimants.** The Board of Stewards distributed the checks for conference claimants.

W. F. Pitts moved that the conference treasurer be bonded to the sum of \$50,000.00 at the expense of the conference. The motion was adopted.

Conference voted requesting the Bishop to appoint C. V. Bellamy, A. B. McKenzie and W. E. O. Robeson conference evangelists.

On nomination of J. W. Boling, representing the cabinet, the standing committees were elected. (See Standing Committees.) On motion of J. W. Boling the Conference Boards for the present year were elected for next year with such corrections as had been made necessary to fill vacancies.

W. F. Pitts was re-elected Treasurer and W. C. Martin Satistician for the next conference.

The motion was passed to adjourn to meet for the closing session of the conference to be held at the close of the Sunday evening address by Dr. Lovejoy. After singing "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" conference was dismissed with the benediction by Bishop Cooke.



## FIFTH DAY

### Conference Sunday

#### Love Feast

At 9:30 a. m., ministers, visiting laymen and members of the local congregation, united in the conference Love Feast which was conducted by J. J. Robinette.

#### Morning Worship

At 10:30 a. m., Bishop Smith brought to a congregation which overflowed the church an impressive and soul-stirring message on the theme "Sunrise or Sunset." Pulpits of the other churches of the town were filled by the ministers of the conference.

#### Ordination Service

At 2:30 p. m. an impressive ordination service was held, the classes being the largest ordained in Holston Conference for many years.

Bishop Smith ordained as Deacons Isaac G. Crowder, William R.

Curtis, Worth M. Greer, Walter L. Hughes, Thomas O. Marshall, Solon McNeese, Mark M. Moore, John H. Myers, E. Gordon Gillespie and W. E. O. Robeson.

The Bishop, assisted by Bishop Cooke, the District Superintendents and other Elders, ordained as Elders, J. Warren Broyles, Howard G. Byrd, Joseph F. Coldwell, Joseph M. Dew, Roland C. Elzey, James M. Gambill and Edwin H. Ogle.

#### Memorial Service

At 3:30 p. m., the conference memorial service was held in memory of two ministers and three wives of ministers who had died during the year.

The names of those called from labor to their reward were John Sanders, N. K. Rowe, Mrs. T. G. Chase, Mrs. J. H. Jennings, and Mrs. S. G. Ketron.

The memorial address was delivered by J. M. Emert.

#### Closing Session

Conference met at the conclusion of the address by Dr. Lovejoy, on Sunday evening, for the reading of the appointments and the transaction of necessary business.

**Journal.** The journal of the previous day's sessions was read by the Secretary and approved by the conference.



**Committee on Resolutions.** The report of the Committee on Resolutions was read by S. E. Stringham and adopted by the conference.

S. E. Stringham moved that hereafter the hour of the Memorial Service be held immediately following roll call on the first day of the conference, instead of Sunday afternoon as heretofore. The motion was adopted.

**Message of Sympathy.** On motion of J. M. Melear, conference voted directing the Secretary to extend the sympathy and love of all the brethren of the conference to Dr. E. A. Bishop, H. G. Williamson, and any other members of the conference who were detained on account of illness.

**Question 10.** W. L. Pickering was continued in studies of the fourth year.

**Offering.** An offering was taken for the janitor of the local church and for other necessary expenses.

Announcement was made of a telegram from C. N. Woodworth authorizing the conference to draw on him for \$570.00 for the fund for conference claimants. This was accepted with thanks and ordered placed in the hands of the Conference Treasurer.

It was moved by the Secretary that after devotional exercises and the reading of the appointments, conference stand adjourned. The motion was adopted. Conference sang hymn 508. Bishop Smith led in prayer, read the appointments and pronounced the benediction.

*H. Lester Smith.*

President

*Oliver R. Jarwater*

Secretary

## REPORTS

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### BRISTOL DISTRICT

J. F. REED, Superintendent

The Bristol District consists of five stations, four half stations and nineteen circuits, which pay an average salary to the pastors including house rent, of one thousand and eight dollars.

We began the conference year on the District with all of the charges supplied with a pastor. J. W. Barnes, a supply pastor on the Pattons-ville charge, gave up the work in the middle of the year, and W. F. Barber, a local preacher, was appointed in his place. Brother Barber has succeeded with the work. J. S. Yearly gave up the pastorate of the Wise Circuit and the charge was without a pastor at the end of the year. J. M. Gambill was released from the Radford charge the first of September to enter school at Tennessee Wesleyan College, and J. D. Harris, a supernumerary member of this conference, finished out the year.

We have dedicated this year, Reeds Chapel on the Fries charge and Heltons Chapel on the Konnarock charge, these churches cost something like \$2000 each. Barkers Chapel on the Hilton charge has been moved to Phillips, a small station on the Southern Railway, and will be dedicated the fourth Sunday in October. Pine View Church, on the Radford charge, and Cabin Creek Chapel Church, on the Konnarock charge, should be ready for dedication within the next six months. Plans are being made for new churches at Hilton and Fries which will cost around \$6,000 each. "The dream of a second church for Roanoke has begun to materialize, with a lot already bought and paid for. We see no reason why the first unit should not be completed within the next conference year."

Construction on the First Church at Roanoke will begin at once, and the first unit will be completed within the next few months.

The most outstanding achievement in church building has been accomplished at Pennington Gap. The lot where the old church burned last year was traded for a new location in the early spring, and under the efficient leadership of the pastor, D. B. Cooper, a modern church was begun, which will be completed next year at a cost around \$25,000. The fourth quarterly conference was held in the auditorium September 27th.

We have paid on old indebtedness and improvements on church and parsonage property \$17,775.

World Service collections should show an increase over last year.

Pastors salaries were increased \$1,120.00 over last year and for the most part will be paid in full. It has been a very difficult matter to reach our financial goals this year, due to the extreme drought which extended to every corner of the district.

Our District Conference was held in July at Centenary on the Marion charge. All of the pastors were present except four, which was a large factor in making the conference a success. Dr. Bishop of Murphy Collegiate Institute, Dr. Kilburn of Tennessee Wesleyan College and Dr. Brown, president of the Chattanooga University, were present and gave splendid addresses. Drs. Newland, Johnson, Powell and Smith, sent out by the World Service Commission, were present on the first day of the conference and gave a very helpful program.

We have held group meetings during the year in which Evangelism and World Service had the right-of-way. The Rev. Walter Smith, pastor of First Church at Cleveland, Tenn., was with us at our Bristol group meeting and gave an instructive message on personal Evangelism.

Dr. Kilburn has given much time and labor to the district this year, lecturing, preaching and helping the pastors with their problems.

The Rev. LeRoy Martin spent several days in the district during the month of August giving illustrated lectures and helping with World Service collections.

Miss Swartz, a Field Secretary of the W. H. M. Society, spent a month in the district during the latter part of the year, and as a result of her work we have seven new W. H. M. Societies.

Revivals have been held in almost all of the churches, which resulted in 990 conversions and 815 accessions to the church, for the most part pastors have held their own revivals.

Our Epworth League work is not what it should be in the district, however we have had some growth this year. Several new Leagues have been organized. We hope to see a League put into every church on the district.

The Sunday School work is one of great importance, and we are glad to report a growing interest in the work. The First Church at Bristol has had an increase in enrollment over last year of 124.

Mrs. E. H. Ogle, wife of our St. Charles pastor, was taken to the hospital in September for an operation, and we are glad to report that she is slowly recovering. Monroe Ball, pastor of the Russell charge, and O. C. Melton, pastor at Salem, have had typhoid fever during the summer, but have both recovered, and are in attendance at conference.

As to my own work I have traveled by every fashion known to man in this country except the airplane.

I have given all of my time to the work. I am grateful to my Heavenly Father for strength to do another year's work for Him.

Respectfully submitted,

J. F. REED, Supt.

## CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT

M. P. MURPHY, District Superintendent

The conference year opened with practically every charge supplied with a pastor, but by the end of the year several changes had been made. In May, P. R. Broyles, pastor of the John A. Patten Community Center, was released from the work and the charge was without a pastor to the end of the year. M. J. Brown, pastor of Red Bank, on account of failing health, was released from the charge in July and B. M. Morrison became pastor and finished up a good year's work. Lloyd G. Davis, pastor at Daisy, Cranston Clayton, pastor of Jasper Circuit, upon their own request were released. V. C. Nichols took charge at Daisy and C. A. Athearn at Jasper. H. E. Murkett, after a successful pastorate of six years at First Church, Chattanooga, was transferred by Bishop Thirkield to Racine, Wis., and Charles A. Briggs of Racine became pastor of First Church on October 1. Wm. M. Dye, pastor at Etowah, has been very ill much of the year on account of an operation. He is able to resume his work and has closed a good year at Etowah. During his illness, Brother Dye had the faithful assistance of Prof. F. H. Carey who, with the assistance of the official board, carried on the work in a very fine way. Mrs. W. L. Pickering, wife of our pastor at St. James Church, was in the hospital last summer as a result of an operation, and two of the Pickering children were ill at the same time with scarlet fever. Mrs. H. E. Murkett was again in the hospital for several weeks during the summer and underwent another serious operation. We are glad to report that all these afflicted ones have either recovered or are on the way to full recovery.

In spite of drouth which has reduced the crops to about one-half their usual yield, and very unfavorable conditions in our coal fields, the Chattanooga District will have substantial gains over last year along almost all lines of church work. We have insisted everywhere on full payment of pastor's salaries and all other local claims which for the most part will be met in full. Most of the shortage will be in the rural sections where the drouth has hit hardest.

We will probably have a gain over last year for World Service of between \$1,500 and \$2,000. We are expecting to reach a total of about \$15,000 for World Service and about \$20,000 for disciplinary benevolences. We have spent \$63,000 for building and improvement of church and parsonage property, and paid more than \$11,000 on old indebtedness. There being no money appropriated to the district by the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension for building purposes this year, several of our most important building projects have been postponed until next year or until such time as help can be secured from the Board. A few of the churches, however, have gone ahead with their work without assistance from the Board.

Welch's Chapel, Mt. Airy Circuit, was built, in the main, last year but was finished up and dedicated this year free of debt at a total cost of \$4,000. Manker Memorial people have completed the auditorium of the new church and services are being held in the same. The Sunday School department is on the way to completion. When finished this will be one of the very best, most up-to-date churches in Chattanooga and in Holston Conference. St. James has spent



several thousand dollars on church property this year. Both the church and parsonage have been re-decorated; additional Sunday school room provided and a new heating plant installed. Athens has raised \$2,000 on church debt and spent \$500 on improvements. Highland Park has paid the last \$2,000 on mortgage which clears the church of debt. St. Marks has paid \$2,500 on debt; St. James \$1,200; Etowah \$1,300; Cleveland \$1,000; Copper Hill \$1,788; Red Bank \$700; Alton Park \$500 on debt and \$600 on improvements; and First Church has paid \$1,500 on church improvement. Other churches have paid smaller amounts on debts and improvements.

Special emphasis has been placed upon evangelism this year. Most all churches in Chattanooga held pre-Easter evangelistic services, stressing personal evangelism. Under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association, Bishop Thirkield spoke daily at noon in the Tivoli Theatre, Chattanooga, during "Holy Week." The services were attended by ministers and people from all churches of the city, and general satisfaction was expressed by those in attendance, as to the helpfulness of these services. Churches outside of Chattanooga in the towns and rural sections of the district have had splendid revivals. As a result of faithful work on the part of pastors and people, more than 750 new members have been added to the churches of the district. This will probably reach 800 when the reports are tabulated.

We have not been able to check up on Sunday School and Epworth League enrollment but judging from increased interest manifested almost everywhere there will be substantial gains in enrollment in both these organizations. The women's work is on a firmer basis than the rest of our missionary program because they give more attention to education; are more systematic and keep up the missionary spirit. The educational side of our work is steadily on the increase. More Sunday schools are adopting the graded system of instruction, more attention is being given to teacher-training than before. Our young people are becoming more and more interested in the educational program of the Epworth League. Eighty-eight of our young people attended the Epworth League institute at Sevierville last summer. These returned to the local churches with great enthusiasm for the work. The last service of our district conference was given to the Epworth League for a program and rally. Delegations of young people came from various Leagues of the district in such numbers that the auditorium of St. James Church was filled. The program rendered by the young people was a fitting climax to the program of our district conference.

Our benevolent program is getting down to a firmer basis. Our people are beginning to abandon the idea which characterized the Centenary campaign, that our great benevolent program is simply an emergency to be met, a temporary matter which requires intense devotion and large giving simply for the time being, and are beginning to regard our increased benevolent program to be as vital to the work of the church as any other part of it. We are still suffering in some places, however, from our supposed victories of six years ago when unauthorized promises of large help were made to local churches which never materialized, when in some instances the appeal was made to a selfish motive in the local church to "go



over the top" in order to secure in return large sums for local projects. We still feel the effects of the spirit of criticism which was so prevalent before and even after the meeting of the last General Conference, which criticism was probably necessary to correct some mistakes in legislation but at the same time, has done much harm in the practical working out of our program. While it may have proved constructive so far as the perfecting of our program is concerned, it has also proved hurtful in the application of the program. The cure for this condition of things seems to be for our preachers and leaders to present our benevolent program purely on its own merits and make no appeal to local interests; to assume a friendly attitude toward it; and dwell upon its commendable features and let the mistakes of the past rest. It will help, too, when we quit changing the name of our benevolent program. The common people prefer a permanent name for this program and a fixed policy in carrying it out. What we need most of all is a quickening and deepening of the benevolent spirit in the church which will enable the people to take the great commission seriously and our ministers to look upon all the world as our parish.

The University of Chattanooga continues to make splendid progress. During the year which has closed, \$200,000 was added to the endowment. This was made possible by a gift of \$50,000 from Mr. Adolphus S. Ochs to establish a Chair of Government, \$66,667 from the General Education Board (founded by John D. Rockefeller) and the balance from Chattanooga citizens. The college closed its fiscal year on August 31st, with no indebtedness, and with \$800,000 of productive endowment. The value of the buildings and grounds is easily over a million dollars, so it is reasonable to say that the institution has assets amounting to two million dollars. The total enrollment last year, not counting summer school students, was 504, divided as follows: Full time students, 356; extension students, 148. The entering class this fall will outnumber the entire enrollment of full-time students in 1920-21 (155).

President Brown reports that he is greatly encouraged by the number of students in the Freshman class coming from outside Hamilton County. Thirty-eight per cent of incoming students have prepared themselves in high schools outside of Hamilton County.

One of the outstanding events of the year was the separation of the Athens School from the University of Chattanooga, and its reorganization as Tennessee Wesleyan College, under a new charter. The action taken by the Board of Trustees of the University of Chattanooga at its annual meeting on June 9 was unanimous and the new institution has been launched with the best of good wishes from the University. By agreement all property in Athens was deeded to the new institution, together with endowment notes amounting to \$162,176, and the income from \$50,000 for three years. At the end of three years the principal will be transferred.

The new Board of Trustees of Tennessee Wesleyan College have begun their work with great enthusiasm and a splendid career is predicted for this old school under a new name which has meant so much for Christian education in this section of the country. President Robb reports a considerable increase in enrollment, particularly in

the college department, where the enrollment the first of October was 82 as compared with 46 the first of October of last year. There is a total enrollment of 226, of these, 51 students are from the bounds of the Chattanooga District. The district should be more largely represented in both of these splendid schools. Realizing the benefits that come to our work through a trained leadership, our pastors and people should encourage their young people to attend our schools.

As to personal labors, I have traveled throughout the district as the discipline requires; held the usual quarterly meetings and conferences; helped pastors and churches as time and opportunity afforded. I have carried on a large correspondence, sending out about 2,000 letters in the interest of the work. I have had the hearty cooperation of pastors and people in every effort to carry on the work successfully, for which I am truly thankful.

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### HARRIMAN DISTRICT

H. M. HAWK, District Superintendent

The geographical boundry of the Harriman District has not been changed, though the number of pastoral charges has been reduced. Arthur, Liberty Hill, and New Tazewell charges have been re-arranged, so as to make two circuits, to be known as the Arthur Circuit, and the New Tazewell Circuit. The Newcomb charge, and the Jacksboro charge have been united under the name of Newcomb and Jacksboro Circuit.

At the last session of the Holston Conference twenty-six men were appointed to the charges of this district, but not all of them have served through the year. W. O. Duncan, pastor of the Decatur Circuit, gave up that charge to accept a position as preacher and teacher in a Kentucky mining town. To secure an experienced man, at that time appeared impossible, but George S. Denton, a young man recently licensed as a local preacher, accepted the charge, and under the circumstances, has closed the work of the year with a fair degree of success.

Near the close of the first quarter, S. P. Angel, one of our worthy retired men, who was doing supply work on the New Tazewell Circuit, asked to be excused from serving New Tazewell, and M. H. Prevett, pastor of the Arthur charge, was brought over, at the request of the leaders, to the New Tazewell charge, and William Dagley, a local preacher, was secured for the Arthur charge. Both of these men have worked hard, and in some respects will have the best reports that have been brought up from these churches in several years.

We have had no deaths in the ranks of our pastors this year, but Mrs. J. M. Hughes, wife of our pastor at Maynardville, was ill for several weeks, and Mrs. H. W. McDonald, wife of our Crossville pastor,

was shut in for about two months. Both these ladies have recovered, and were able to assist their husbands in closing the work of the year.

Mrs. Branam, wife of E. R. Branam, pastor of our Oakdale church, was seriously ill for nine weeks, but with good medical attention, and careful nursing the crisis has been past, and we hope that she will be able to take her accustomed place in the church and parsonage life.

Mrs. J. J. Robinette, wife of our pastor at Harriman, has been confined to her room for the year, but her heart is with her husband in the work in which they have been engaged for almost half a century, while he has not given full time to his charge, he has rendered valuable service to our church.

Although the Harriman church has lost six families by removals to Florida and other places, the congregations have kept up well, and outstanding progress has been made in the liquidation of debts and the first time in several years the charge is free from financial embarrassment.

Other outstanding advances are at the Beaver Ridge church, near Byington, Tennessee, where the pastors salary was doubled, being raised from \$600 to \$1200, and at Oneida and Norma, where the pastors salary was advanced from \$800 to \$1500, and a new seven room bungalow has been purchased for a parsonage at a cost of \$3000, on which \$2200 has been paid.

Dr. John S. Burnette, Superintendent of Mountain Work of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, has made possible and led in the erection of a beautiful community school building near Brayton, Tenn., in the bounds of the Morgan Springs charge, at a cost of \$5450. There is a spirit of co-operation among the people of the community, and the three teachers working in the school are rendering good service to a fine student body, helping the youths who are eager to prepare themselves for life's work to lay a foundation for usefulness.

Our pastor is in hearty accord with the school, and is working faithfully to advance the educational and spiritual interests of the kingdom, and it may be said of every pastor that in his field of labor he has done something worthy of honorable mention, and to call the honor roll would be to read the names of the pastors.

It is doubtful if there is a group of men anywhere whose faithful service and sacrifice will surpass the service and sacrifice of the preachers of the Harriman District. Though some of them have had trouble to keep the proverbial wolf from the door, they have believed the promises of an Almighty God, they have continued to pray and to preach, and the clouds rifted, the way out appeared, and God honored their work of faith and labor of love in the salvation of lost man.

This has been, I think, the hardest year financially in the history of the Harriman District; the mines shut down last year have not

been opened, and many of the miners with their families have been compelled to move away in search of work. Last year some advance was made in agriculture with good returns for labor and investment, but the drought has practically ruined all crops. For this cause our payments on World Service will not be as much as we expected at the middle of the year. Some of our subscriptions will not be paid because of reverses in business and failure of crops. A number of men who have been accustomed to supporting the church and who have subscribed to World Service, say that they regret it very much but they can not pay now. How far this may affect final payments is difficult to tell, and how our work is to be maintained next year is a perplexing question, but we believe that the Methodist Episcopal Church must and will carry forward the great work that she has begun in this mountain territory.

About the middle of September the District Superintendent sent out questionnaires, in answer to which he received from the pastors the following information:

Number of days spent in revivals.....	570
Number of conversions and reclamations.....	1037
Number of accessions to our church.....	615
Increase in church membership.....	482
Amount paid on building and improvements.....	\$ 6,958
Amount paid on old indebtedness.....	3,132
Amount paid on debts and improvements.....	10,088
Amount paid by Dr. Burnette on school building.....	5,450
Total paid on improvements, debts and building.....	15,538

Our District Conference convened at Jonesville, Tenn., July 14-16. The pastors, with few exceptions, were present with helpful messages and the laymen from some of the charges were present with interesting and encouraging addresses.

"The Flying Squadron," Drs. Johnson, Newland, Powell and Smith, representing the "World Service Missionary Movement," brought fine messages and much valuable information.

Dr. Bishop of Murphy Collegiate Institute, and Dr. Kilburn of the Tennessee Wesleyan College, represented these schools, delivering addresses which were up to the usual high standard of these educators. We extend to them an invitation to come again next year.

On June 27th Rev. LeRoy A. Martin of Chattanooga, Tenn., coming as a representative of our beloved Bishop Thirkield in the interest of "World Service," joined the District Superintendent in an itinerary of the district. Six special meetings were conducted in which Bro. Martin rendered good service, bringing valuable information on this truly great subject. Three other meetings were conducted covering practically the whole district.

According to reports to the Quarterly Conference our Sunday Schools have advanced in attendance and quality of work. The spiritual interests of the church have had due emphasis, as is evidenced



by the fact that of the six hundred and fifteen persons received into the church, about eighty per cent came through the Sunday School.

The work of the Epworth League is better than last year. More interest is manifest in the regular program, and the special meetings are more largely attended. The development of leadership is in evidence where the League properly functions.

The Junior League is doing a great work and is training the membership in the essential things which they as young Christians should know, and under the guidance of consecrated teachers Christian character is being developed.

The young life of the church is being well cared for, where we have organizations, but there are many children in this mountain section that are receiving no training in spiritual things, for there are several communities in which there is no organized church, and it appears that without an organized church there can be no permanent Christian development. These people are of Methodist descent and are looking to the Methodist Episcopal Church for help, and the church must in some way carry to them the Gospel of Christ. We must not fail because this is our opportunity and the time of their great need.

As to my own work, I have given my time to the district. I have conducted one hundred and four quarterly meetings, presiding at the same number of quarterly conferences, have preached two hundred and sixty-three sermons, an average of a little more than five a week, attended five special meetings, made itineraries of some of the circuits and have traveled in the discharge of my duties about six thousand miles. I have found it a pleasure to be associated with these consecrated pastors and laymen in the service of a worthy people.

Finally, brethren, though conscious of many difficulties, with an unyielding faith in God, we are facing toward the rising sun and his light dispells the darkness from hill top and valley and mountain gorge, we trust the Divine light shall dispell the gloom of sin and the morning break upon us, "when the sun of righteousness shall arise with healing in his wing, and the mountains shall break forth into singing, the little hills leap for joy and the trees of the field clap their hands" as the Church of God shall take possession of her own.

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### JOHNSON CITY DISTRICT

W. L. OLIVER, Superintendent

Twenty-seven pastoral charges, covering in whole or in part thirty-two counties, comprise the Johnson City District. Six of these are stations and the other twenty-one have from three to nine appointments. We began this year's work with a pastor at each of these twenty-seven places and all have remained at their post of duty save one. The Rev. H. A. Gamble, appointed to the Rogersville charge, served until March, then asked the Bishop to release him from further duties this year, and the Rev. Orin Marshall, a young man of promise and a local preacher, assumed the responsibilities and finished the year's work on that charge.



God has been good to us this year in that none of the ministers of this district, in active service have died, yet the death angel has visited in our midst, and some of the homes of the ministers have been saddened. The wife of the Rev. S. G. Ketron, a retired minister and a supply pastor, went to her reward. An infant in the home of the Rev. Dewey Jenkins, and a brother of the Rev. E. O. Woodyard were taken away.

The Rev. N. K. Rowe, at the last session of the Holston Conference was granted, on account of declining health the supernumerary relation and living within the bounds of the Johnson City District, fell asleep in Jesus April 30th.

Who can stay the hand of death? It comes to all, but those who suffer can have the sustaining grace of "Him who doeth all things well."

The revival fires have burned all the year. The pastors in most instances acting as their own evangelists have preached the Gospel and it has been the power of God unto salvation, and, as a result the reports will show about 1600 conversions and 1000 accessions. Time will not permit me to speak of all the pastors who deserve special mention, but the Rev. S. A. Hopper of the Telford charge leads the district in the number of conversions and accessions. His report will show 269 conversions and 186 accessions to the church. The people whom he has served so well have shown their appreciation by paying his salary in full and giving him a donation of more than three hundred dollars.

A number of new Epworth League chapters have been organized throughout the district this year, and the young people seem to have an interest in the work. The Sunday Schools will show an increase in membership and average attendance and the spiritual condition of the district is very good. However, the devil is at work, and the ministers appointed to these twenty-seven pastoral charges at this session of the conference will find plenty of work to combat the ravages of sin making inroads upon our forces.

The Johnson City Church has financed the building of a mission known as the Normal Heights Church. A building, now ready for dedication, which will meet the demands of that community, has been erected and a church organized with twenty members.

The Greeneville people, also, builded a mission church on Highland Avenue and services are being held for the people of that community.

On the Mountain City Circuit, Clifton's Chapel was destroyed by fire last Easter a year ago. Now on the same site, a new building, made of river rock will soon be ready for dedication.

Our church and school on Webb's Creek, Pittman Center charge, was burned a year ago, and now there stands a building with four rooms for church and school purposes which will be dedicated Oct. 25th. The Fall Branch Circuit has completed a beautiful new parsonage of six rooms, now ready for the pastor who will be appointed to that charge this year.

At Unicoi a lot has been purchased and the people of that section are looking forward to the building of a church. Elizabethton bought a lot.

Our Mountain school at Pittman Center is doing a great work. This year shops for woodworking and textiles and also a small hospital have been added to that community center.

Miss Wesp, supervisor of women's work at Pittman Center, felt led of God to go up Copeland Creek and in the back room of a mountain cabin organized a Sunday School. Some of the people of that community had never been in any kind of a religious service until the day that Sunday School was organized. Now there stands in that community Bonwell's Chapel dedicated to the Worship of God, August 30, 1925, by Dr. E. A. Bishop, assisted by Dr. J. S. Burnette.

Because of a debt our parsonage on the Limestone Circuit was almost under the hammer, but the people under the efficient leadership of their pastor, raised the money and saved the building from being sold. Thanks be to God for the heroic men and women of this district who are making the sacrifice and doing these wonderful things for Jesus' sake.

For buildings, improvements and old indebtedness the reports will show about \$25,000 have been raised.

Pastors salaries will show an advance over last year of about \$1700, and most of these will be paid in full, as will also the Episcopal Fund and Conference Claimant apportionments. As to World Service some of the charges will show an advance while some will not meet the amount paid last year. I think the totals will compare favorably with last year's report.

The pastors have done well. Considering the dry weather and shortage of crops the people have responded liberally. For our failures we are sorry, for our successes we give glory to God.

As to my own labors I have held all my quarterly conferences in person save five. Have traveled over eight thousand miles. Have written seven hundred and eighty-two letters and cards. Have preached, prayed and tried to keep sweet. The Lord has abundantly blessed me and I am happy in His service.

Respectfully submitted,

W. L. OLIVER.

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#### KNOXVILLE DISTRICT

J. W. BOLING, District Superintendent

The merry-go-round has rotated without accident and we are at the window for passes or tickets as the verdict of fortune may decree. The going has been merry, however, because we have tried to follow the example of Him who said: "My Father worketh hitherto and I

work." Our joy has been, not in the evasion, but in the assumption of the task at hand.

The policies directing our work were determined by the immediate problems to be solved and by the causes which were responsible for those problems. The only sound philosophy of successful approach is to cut the tap root at the source.

Even though the Kingdom be a spiritual kingdom there is a material foundation upon which the super-structure must rise. The author of our spiritual being habited us in dwellings that can be seen. Our physical anchorage relates us no less vitally to the visible than does our spiritual anchorage identify us with the invisible kingdom. The unsolved problem of civilization is the problem of the correct disposition of property. Louis Hall, the expert guide of the Adirondacks, said: "Aristocracy says, 'All yours is mine,' democracy says, 'All mine is my own,' socialism says, 'All mine is yours.'" Josiah Strong, the greatest Christian socialist of the last generation, said: "All that a Christian spends upon himself which thereby contributes more largely than otherwise to the Kingdom of God, is legitimately spent—anything beyond that is an act of usury." The occasion has been superb this year for the sowing of seeds unto the golden harvest of sound Christian beneficence. The unprecedented drought this year, surpassing anything in the memory or in the recorded history of man, has provided the occasion for us to tutor our people in the sound principles of frugality. Thus they have been reminded that we had the lean years which would have witnessed the pinched mawed kine lowing around the empty corn cribs of Pharaoh, but for the wisdom which hedged against disaster in the years of plenty, ever since the day when the shrewed sons of Jacob filled their bags with corn which had spilled over from seasons of unusual bounty. To pinch the claims of the kingdom in a season of scarcity is as inconsistent as the prodigal waste which squanders heedlessly in seasons of plenty. Thus we have met, with a measure of success, the defiance of an unprecedented and unyielding difficulty. As a result the promise at this writing engenders the hope that most every pastor will be paid in full and that the benevolent and connectional interests of the church will be saved from the disasters which were augured by the ugly clouds which draped the horizon. If we should slip a trifle we shall even then give thanks to God that He has afforded us the heroism that transposed an apparently inevitable landslide into a mere slip of the toe.

Sadness came to us this year in the decease of Rev. John Sanders, an honored and unusually efficient member of this conference.

The conditions just described coupled with the fact that during the last few years the district has fostered a vigorous campaign of building and improvements have necessitated a pause in the projection of new enterprises of this kind. And yet surprising achievements have been wrought. One of our circuits has spent on improvements and on indebtedness an amount in excess of the pastors salary. A remote church, on a seven-point circuit, in the lap of the mountains, has reconstructed its building to meet the demands of the growing congregation. Another congregation on a circuit has reconstructed the building erected before the Civil War. Fire destroyed a building on another circuit but a new structure is well on the way. The



babe in the household, just organized a few days prior to our last Annual Conference, is now in a building of its own, strategically located on a beautiful lot fronting 100 feet and running back 200 feet in one of the most thriving suburbs of Knoxville. There is a membership now of one hundred fifty, a Sunday School, and other organizations, in keeping with the size of the church and membership. A budget of approximately eighteen hundred dollars has been pledged for next year. Another growing church in a suburban community has paid its entire indebtedness of sixteen hundred dollars and made other advances in substantial equivalents. Another church, located in a small town and which is part of a circuit paying about one thousand dollars salary, is paying the interest on five thousand dollars this year and at the same time slicing one thousand dollars from the principal of its indebtedness. A suburban church in Knoxville with only a basement and roof, has paid three thousand five hundred dollars on indebtedness, raised more than four thousand dollars in notes to apply in the completion of the main auditorium. This church is growing by leaps and bounds. The regular Sunday morning offering runs from sixty to one hundred dollars. This is a sturdy prospect considering the fact that the representative of one of our great boards and the presiding officer of our conference predicted two years ago that we "had taken off more than we could masticate." This church was left to be supplied at that session of the conference as could only be expected in the face of such glaring predictions. The District Superintendent selected a young pastor from a circuit paying one thousand dollars and handed him this quadratic equation and did what he could in aiding the youngster to keep the pencil whittled sharp. The sequel—part of it—has been registered. Another church has purchased a house and lot at a cost of sixty-five hundred dollars and has paid five thousand one hundred fifty dollars of the amount this year. This property is used for parsonage at present and becomes a part of the structural development of one of the coming great churches in the South in the immediate future activities of this adventurous congregation. A down-town city church has reconstructed and re-decorated its building at a cost of eight thousand dollars. One of our thrifty young churches dedicated on the last Sunday of this conference year, having raised fourteen thousand dollars in making ready for this splendid achievement. That puts this church in a class with the many really great opportunities of our Zion in Knoxville. The fourteen thousand dollars raised on that day covers all indebtedness, including debt on a four thousand dollar parsonage when added to gift from the Board of Church Extension.

One of our little mission churches in the city has finished the excavation and equipped an assembly room at a cost of about one thousand dollars. Plans are in process of development for a modern plant in a station church in one of our coming little cities. The ladies aid has approximately two thousand dollars in the bank as a modest beginning toward their share of this enterprise. Among the seven and more wonders is that of one of the oldest churches in this territory, having outgrown its name as well as its old equipment this congregation has taken on the name of the suburb whose need it is designed to serve and is in process now of constructing a new church building at an approximate cost of forty thousand dollars. This church has negotiated a fifty year lease on a small plot

of its surplus real estate which really enhances the value and adds to the appearance of the surroundings. This, together with the cash and subscriptions obtained, virtually secures that portion of the total cost which the congregation assumes. This structure will be under roof by holidays and the congregation will be in the completed building by next spring.

The pastors who have not shared in these items have done in most instances things just as meritorious, though in different fields of activity. Some even approaching the spectacular in results for World Service organization among our young people and children, organization of the women, development of laymen in sustained and effective devotion to better business policies, deeper convictions and more loyal consecration to the task set before us, and indeed for every other phase of kingdom concern.

The growth in the organization of women for Missionary endeavor, ladies aid auxiliaries, stewardship and tithing promotion, spiritual invigoration, and the dissemination of the gospel of more efficient and enlightened activities, has been stressed and realized in no inconsequential way. The missionary spirit and the missionary activity have kept pace as the heights of victory were scaled and held. This glowing tribute will be sustained by the generous reports and vouchers which the true and heroic pastors lug to this conference in the pockets of the proverbial clerical attire.

Our district conference was marked in all features of the splendid program. Our connectional boards made a fine contribution by sending to that conference Dr. Smith, Dr. Newland, Dr. Powell and Dr. Johnson.

With a deep conviction that the youth and childhood are and must be the virgin soil out of which the seed of the Kingdom lifts the most abundant and vital exponents for tomorrow's conquests, we have majored in our endeavors to pre-empt these preferred assets for the Master's use. While struggling hand to hand with the problems of the church we have kept a steady eye upon the sources from whence they came. No final solution of these problems can be attained apart from the proper training and correct indoctrination of the youth and childhood, the heirs apparent to the kingdom of our future zion. We are fundamentalists—we believe that the fundamentals of a church worthy of the most high God and of His son, Jesus our Lord, are in the potential gifts of the rising generation. We are evolutionists—and unless we be industrious husbandmen, the orthodox co-workers with God, these fundamentals will never rise "through boundless transmutations" unto that full-orbed glory unto which they were born and unto which they were fore-ordained even from the foundations of the world.

This has been a year of unusual success in the standardized revival program of the district. No year in the history of the district has witnessed more marked swelling of revival tides than have ported on the prayer and faith of some of our churches this year. Reports of the faithful pastors will register achievements in numbers



converted at our altars and in numbers taking membership evidencing beyond question our faith in and our loyalty to the spasmodic upheaval upon which the church has habitually pinned her faith unto the coming of the kingdom. However, a sane invoice can but convict and convince us that reliance alone upon fits and jerks leads to delusion, and that while depending alone upon a two weeks campaign once a year as a method of bringing in the new Jerusalem, America is becoming more pagan each day as a reward for our folly. So that while emphasizing the revival with all the fervor of the early evangelists even in the Apostolic church, we have magnified the example of him who approached individuals and wrought into the moral fiber of their sanctified personalities the winning and dependable convictions and attitudes guaranteeing the achievements for which our Lord taught us to pray. All of our approaches therefore have been at the strategic points—the cross-roads around which revolve the causes and alike the cure of our difficulties. These policies and efforts alike are the offspring of our prayer as earnestly the directing hand of Him who is the source of all light and has been sought. As the author He has graciously and wonderfully blessed the plan and the effort. Our hearts go out in fullness of gratitude that thus we have been permitted to share in the wonders of his grace.

## Report of Treasurer of Conference Board of Stewards

### Preachers

Amis, J. H. ....	\$ 243.00
Angel, S. P. ....	200.00
Baker, T. R. ....	200.00
Brown, T. W. ....	324.00
Bandy, W. S. ....	225.00
Bruner, M. C. ....	342.00
Coleman, G. W. ....	288.00
Crumley, T. J. ....	297.00
Ferguson, E. C. ....	450.00
Giles, J. F. ....	290.00
Grant, W. S. ....	350.00
Houchins, C. D. ....	153.00
Ingle, A. H. ....	288.00
Ketron, S. G. ....	360.00
Leslie, R. L. ....	180.00
Monroe, M. H. ....	297.00
Miller, C. W. ....	162.00
McGhee, J. W. ....	250.00
McKenzie, H. W. ....	243.00
Newman, A. A. ....	126.00
Osborne, James ....	167.00
Roberson, J. D. ....	369.00
Rominger, L. A. ....	162.00
Rose, A. M. ....	261.00
Rumburg, J. K. ....	315.00
Robinette, J. J. ....	396.00
Sadler, C. N. ....	225.00
Strange, J. S. ....	225.00
Torrey, H. M. ....	212.00
Thurston, E. C. ....	108.00
Ware, J. T. ....	216.00
E. J. Winkler.....	234
D. T. Lawson.....	117.00
Total .....	\$ 8,275.00

### Widows

Atkins, Mrs. Alwyn .....	\$ 150.00
Burkhart, Mrs. N. C. ....	135.00
Byerly, Mrs. W. R. ....	189.00
Clendennen, Mrs. G. W. ....	150.00

Creswell, Mrs. A. F. ....	133.00
Cadle, Mrs. A. G. ....	141.00
Elliott, Mrs. W. V. ....	189.00
Haltom, Mrs. W. C. ....	137.00
Henry, Mrs. P. H. ....	153.00
Hodge, Mrs. J. C. ....	180.00
Hodge, Mrs. T. H. ....	138.00
Hooper, Mrs. W. W. ....	216.00
Jones, Mrs. W. T. ....	165.00
Keister, Mrs. J. B. ....	176.00
Lawson, Mrs. J. D. ....	99.00
Martin, Mrs. B. M. ....	210.00
Miller, Mrs. W. C. ....	164.00
Martin, Mrs. W. A. ....	188.00
Newcomb, Mrs. G. T. ....	243.00
Perry, Mrs. J. F. ....	98.00
Petty, Mrs. J. S. ....	190.00
Pippin, Mrs. I. N. ....	144.00
Robertson, Mrs. R. C. ....	108.00
Russell, Mrs. T. B. ....	165.00
Scott, Mrs. R. A. ....	90.00
Tuttle, Mrs. S. D. ....	150.00
Sanders, Mrs. John ....	200.00
Rowe, Mrs. N. K. ....	150.00
Total .....	\$ 4,451.00

## Children

Atkin, Marjorie Belle .....	\$ 25.00
Atkin, Alwyn James .....	25.00
Haltom, Willie .....	50.00
Martin, James W. ....	55.00
Perry, James F. Jr. ....	70.00
Rowe, Theodore .....	50.00
Total .....	\$ 275.00
Men .....	\$ 8,275.00
Women .....	4,451.00
Children .....	275.00

Grand Total .....	\$13,001.00
Balance from 1924 .....	\$ 1.21
Preacher's Aid .....	2,622.91
Book Concern .....	1,913.00
Board of Pensions .....	1,000.00
Conference Collections .....	7,781.00
Lucy Waters Fund .....	30.00
Chartered Fund .....	40.00
	\$13,388.12
Disbursed .....	\$13,001.00
Balance in Treasury .....	\$ 387.12

## Report of Treasurer, Preachers' Aid Society

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### Interest Account—Collected on Loans

Nov. 12, 1924—Lucy Waters Fund.....	\$ 30.00
Dec. 25, 1924—C. C. Mashburn.....	90.90
Dec. 26, 1924—Hendricks Co., Indiana Bonds.....	10.00
Jan. 1, 1925—C. F. Walker.....	73.20
Jan. 24, 1925—J. G. Layman.....	75.00
Feb. 7, 1925—Hedge.....	99.00
Feb. 12, 1925—Sara M. James Mem. Church.....	67.50
Feb. 16, 1925—McMahan.....	60.00
Feb. 17, 1925—S. P. Angel.....	42.00
Feb. 18, 1925—Jr. O. U. A. M.....	180.00
Feb. 28, 1925—Jas. Bonhanan.....	45.92
Mar. 11, 1925—Mrs. B. M. Martin.....	120.00
Apr. 2, 1925—Benton.....	157.50
Apr. 6, 1925—Roberts.....	67.50
Apr. 6, 1925—S. P. Angel.....	2.63
Apr. 8, 1925—B. M. Larson.....	105.00
Apr. 27, 1925—Benton Loan.....	21.90
May 5, 1925—Wm. Hunt.....	30.85
May 11, 1925—H. C. Thrasher.....	54.00
May 13, 1925—E. F. Pangle.....	70.00
June 7, 1925—Hendricks Co. Ind. Bonds.....	10.00
July 1, 1925—C. F. Walker.....	66.00
July 8, 1925—J. G. Layman.....	75.00
July 12, 1925—Jas. Bohanan.....	45.37
July 14, 1925—C. C. Mashburn.....	91.13
Aug. 1, 1925—McMahan.....	42.00
Aug. 11, 1925—Hedge.....	99.00
Aug. 11, 1925—Jr. O. U. A. M. & Red Men of Athens.....	180.00
Aug. 22, 1925—Sara M. James Mem. Church.....	67.50
Sept. 1, 1925—S. A. Roddy.....	48.00
Sept. 26, 1925—Annie Porter.....	54.51
Sept. 30, 1925—C. C. Mashburn.....	75.00
Oct. 5, 1925—H. M. Roberts.....	67.50
Oct. 5, 1925—B. M. Larson.....	105.00
Oct. 9, 1925—McMillian, Bequest.....	50.00
Oct. 14, 1925—H. C. Thrasher.....	54.00
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\$2,652.91	

Oct. 15, 1925—Check to Wm. F. Pitts.....	\$2,622.91
Oct. 15, 1925—Check to Wm. F. Pitts.....	30.00

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\$2,652.91

## Permanent Fund

## "Cash"

Oct. 16, 1924—Balance on hand.....	\$ 648.62
Dec. 4, 1924—C. F. Walker, paid on loan.....	300.00
Dec. 8, 1924—Laura Adams Estate.....	121.99
Jan. 8, 1925—M. C. Bruner (Subscription).....	10.00
Jan. 31, 1925—Mrs. John A. Patten.....	25.00
Mar. 11, 1925—S. P. Angel (on loan).....	400.00
Apr. 2, 1925—M. C. Bruner (on Subscription).....	16.00
Apr. 27, 1925—Benton loan paid.....	5,250.00
May 5, 1925—Hunt loan paid.....	1,000.00
May 11, 1925—Wm. F. Pitts (on Subscriptions).....	16.00
May 12, 1925—E. F. Pangle, loan paid.....	2,000.00
Aug. 10, 1925—M. C. Bruner (on Subscription).....	89.50
Aug. 19, 1925—Sara M. James Memorial Church.....	500.00
Oct. 5, 1925—Field Agt. Subscriptions.....	40.26
Total .....	<u>\$10,417.37</u>

## Disbursements

## New Loans Since Last Report

May 1, 1925—W. N. Layman.....	\$ 4,500.00
June 6, 1925—M. M. Carson.....	1,250.00
Sept. 30, 1925—C. C. Mashburn.....	400.00
Oct. 1, 1925—M. H. Rambo.....	1,400.00
Oct. 1, 1925—A. A. Hanks, \$2,000.00 paid amount hand.....	1,000.00
Oct. 9, 1925—D. H. Shell and wife.....	1,800.00
	<u>\$10,350.00</u>
Oct. 15, 1925—Balance cash on hand.....	67.37
	<u>\$10,417.37</u>

## EXPENSE ACCOUNT

## Receipts

Nov. 10, 1924—A. C. Ketron, Dues.....	\$ 2.00
Nov. 10, 1924—W. L. Oliver, Dues.....	2.00
Dec. 3, 1924—Mrs. John A. Patten.....	100.00
Dec. 5, 1924—M. C. Bruner, sent in pastor's dues.....	58.00
Dec. 17, 1924—D. C. Slagle, Dues.....	2.00
Dec. 31, 1925—J. A. Mitchell.....	2.00
Jan. 8, 1925—D. L. Howell.....	2.00
Jan. 8, 1925—M. C. Bruner, pastor's dues.....	14.00
Jan. 8, 1925—Mrs. John A. Patten.....	50.00
Jan. 31, 1925—M. C. Bruner, pastor's dues.....	28.00
Feb. 2, 1925—Alvin Hambrel, Dues.....	1.25
Feb. 2, 1925—M. C. Bruner, Dues.....	5.00
Apr. 9, 1925—Refund to Sara M. James Mem. Church.....	31.20

## Ins. Paid

May 4, 1925—Mrs. John A. Patten.....	100.00
May 4, 1925—Money turned in by Wm. F. Pitts.....	26.00
	<u>\$423.45</u>



## Disbursements

Dec. 22, 1924—Sloan & Co., Insurance Sara M. James Memorial Church .....	\$ 31.20
Dec. 29, 1924—Mrs. B. M. Martin, salary Oct. 1924.....	25.00
Jan. 10, 1925—M. C. Bruner, Field Agt. Expense.....	5.50
Jan. 29, 1925—Andrews Printing Co. Expense.....	10.75
Jan. 29, 1925—R. L. Stapleton, Expense to Athens.....	2.90
Feb. 2, 1925—Field Agent salary.....	50.00
Feb. 18, 1925—Premium on bond for Treasurer.....	125.00
Aug. 7, 1925—Stationery for Field Agent.....	5.75
Oct. 5, 1925—Field Agent expense.....	35.12
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	\$291.22
Oct. 15, 1925—Balance cash on hands.....	\$132.23
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	\$423.45

I herewith submit report as treasurer of the Preachers' Aid Society for the year 1924-25, also interest checks for \$2,652.91. Our total loans to date aggregate \$44,650.00. These loans are all first mortgage loans on well improved property, not exceeding 50% of the cash value, and to further secure the loans, insurance is carried on each and every loan in favor of the Preachers' Aid Society. No loan is delinquent. The number of loans that make up this amount is eighteen.

Respectfully submitted,

G. F. LOCKMILLER, Treasurer.

Total loans as shown above.....	\$44,650.00
Hendricks C. Ind. Bonds .....	500.00
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Total Resources .....	\$45,150.00

## Reports of Committees

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### EPWORTH LEAGUE

To the Holston Conference, assembled in Annual Session:

Whereas, Our great Methodist Episcopal Church recognizes the Epworth League organization as vital to the most effective and efficient training of our young people for definite service in all departments of our church and its work; and,

Whereas, The Epworth League Institute, held in Murphy Collegiate Institute at Sevierville, Tenn., during the first week in August, each year, is recognized as the medium for stimulating enthusiasm, broadening the vision for service, enriching the social life, deepening the spiritual life, and focusing the attention of our young people on particular vocations of life work, therefore,

Be It Resolved: That we endorse the work of the Holston Epworth League Institute, and pledge the support of our pastors thereto, and

That we urge all our pastors to so arrange their programs for the year's work that Institute Week may be kept open, in order to permit them to attend the Institute with the representative young people from their charges, for we believe that in so doing we will be furthering the work of the Kingdom and solidifying the foundation of our church of tomorrow.

WALTER A. SMITH,  
J. W. BROYLES,  
R. L. STAPLETON,  
GEO. J. CRESWELL,  
JAS. M. HAMPTON.

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### REPORT OF RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

The Holston Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church in its Eighty-second Session, at Newport, Tennessee, desires to express its deep and sincere appreciation of the very valuable services of those of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Newport, to the pastor, Rev. J. W. Broyles and all who in any way made a contribution toward the welfare and comfort of the members and friends of the conference.

We wish to express our gratitude for the presence of Bishop H. Lester Smith and for his wise administration and most helpful addresses.

We desire to express our thanks to the speakers who have appeared on the program, among whom are our beloved resident Bishop Wilbur

P. Thirkield for his great Missionary address; Dr. William S. Bovard; Dr. Luther E. Lovejoy, and Bishop R. J. Cooke.

We appreciate the work of the Methodist Book Concern in placing the latest publications on display that we may review them with a view to further study.

We recognize the fine work done by all the conference officers in the discharge of their duties and desire to thank them for their services.

We thank the public press for their very generous space given in reporting the sessions of the conference.

We deeply and most humbly thank our Heavenly Father for His loving care and guiding spirit in all the affairs of the conference, and to Him we pledge ourselves anew to the great work whereunto He hath called us.

Respectfully submitted,

SIDNEY E. STRINGHAM, Chairman,  
NOEL H. CARDWELL,  
RICHARD M. MILLARD.

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### COMMITTEE ON WORLD SERVICE

We, your Committee on World Service, wish to express our gratification in view of the record of progress which has been made in Holston Conference in recent years. In church membership, in value of church property, in amount paid for pastoral support, consistent gains have been recorded from year to year. The first year of the Centenary period brought an unprecedented advance in contributions to Centenary and Apportioned Benevolences. We note with regret the marked decline which has taken place in our giving to the benevolent program of the church since that time. We do well to face the facts concerning our present situation, in order that we may see the need for cultivation of the Missionary spirit in our churches and for renewed emphasis upon the importance, to our church, of its entire benevolent program. Some of these facts are as follows:

Last year, while making an advance in amount paid to pastoral support, our conference showed a decline of 42% in its contributions to World Service and Apportioned Benevolences.

Twenty-two charges in the conference made no contribution to World Service last year.

Our area stands at the foot of the list among the areas of the church in per cent of apportionment paid to World Service during the first seven months following the close of the Centenary period, and our conference makes no better showing than the Area as a whole, having paid only 28% of its apportionment, while the record for the whole church was 45%.

In view of these facts, what conclusions are to be drawn? Are our people so embarrassed financially as to be unable to support the benevolences of the church? If so, how is it possible to make a substantial advance each year in contributions to the support of the local church?

Are our apportionments too high? How can we say so when we are putting less than one-tenth of the tithe into the benevolences and paid less than \$1.60 per member to general benevolences last year?

Our conclusion is that the greatest need is for patient, continued cultivation of the missionary spirit throughout our conference. Where our people are informed and have the cause on their hearts, they contribute willingly. As a rule, where the pastor is informed concerning the world program of the church and carries its progress on his heart, his interest is reflected in the reports which come from his charge.

We believe that a continued campaign of education should be carried on in all our churches, to prevent disastrous slumps and to make unnecessary special drives which may be followed by marked reaction, if the people have not become intelligently interested in the causes to which they have contributed.

In carrying on this campaign of education we suggest that District Superintendents, and pastors keep in close touch with all phases of our World program, through attendance upon such meetings as shall be held for that purpose and by careful reading of our church papers and all other literature that gives information on the subject. Our own interest is usually in keeping with our knowledge of the work; we can not give out information which we do not have and we can not arouse in others an interest which is not in our own hearts. The fact that we were once interested and enthusiastic does not mean that our enthusiasm will continue without constant renewal through unceasing touch with the needs, failures, successes and problems of the field.

We feel that there is great need for informing and inspiring messages from the pulpit on world evangelism. We recommend that District Superintendents and pastors preach more frequently on missionary themes.

It is not enough that the people make their pledges and their payments to the benevolences. Genuine interest on their part is of greater importance than their money, for they will not continue to pay to a cause in which they are not really interested. Let us continue to study, to inform ourselves and our people. "Line upon line, precept upon precept," from pulpit and press; through the Sunday School and the Women's Missionary Societies, through prayer meeting and pastoral visiting let us cultivate the missionary spirit which is the spirit of Him who said "Other sheep I have which are not of this fold; them also I must bring, and they shall hear my voice, and there shall be one fold and one shepherd."

O. R. TARWATER, Chairman.

**BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION**

The work of this Conference Board has been to recommend and approve the various maintenance and church extension projects of the conference for and from the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension at Philadelphia.

From this source, thirty-eight pastors of this conference have received aid on their salaries this past year.

During the Centenary period three dollars of aid was received for work in Holston territory for every dollar that was given to the Board from this conference; but as has already been explained by Dr. Canover of Philadelphia, there have been no funds for church extension projects this past year, due to the lessened giving of the church to the World Service program. However, from funds credited to certain districts and not heretofore used, some building projects have been aided.

The finest project of the Board is that of the Highland Division, under the supervision of Dr. J. S. Burnette. This includes the large project at Pittman Center, and school and community work at ten other points.

Aid has been granted the three educational institutions of the conference for maintaining Directors of Religious Education and Rural Leadership on their faculties.

This Board also looks to the future. It suggests to the members of Holston Conference that they acquaint themselves with their people with the extent and nature of the aid which the connectional Board is giving this conference. It is also urged that the conference develop a spirit of larger co-operation with the Philadelphia Board, that it may better understand and use the helpfulness which that Board is pledged to give.

The Board of Home Missions and Church Extension has been assigned the Chattanooga Area for cultivation of World Service interests during the coming year. Its representatives have already asked the members of the Holston Conference Cabinet how it can best serve in this capacity; and it has formulated a program of local church cultivation in response to the answers given.

Respectfully submitted,

R. M. MILLARD,  
R. L. STAPLETON,  
R. A. KILBURN,

Committee from the Conference Board.



## Methodist-Advocate Journal

To the Board of Trustees of the  
Methodist Advocate Journal:

October 6, 1925.

The office of the Treasurer of the Methodist Advocate Journal respectfully makes and submits the following report of its transactions from October 6th, 1924, to October 6th, 1925.

The Receipts and Disbursements are shown by the following:

Received from—	Principal of Fund	Earnings of Fund
Cash on hand, October.....	\$ 13.41	
Interest on same, 1 year to October 6, 1925.....		.80
1924—		
October 14—Ottinger interest.....		36.00
November 14—Pitts interest.....		9.00
November 15—Evans interest.....		21.00
November 4—Pitts note.....	300.00	
December 6—Speakman interest.....		45.00
December 15—Berryhill interest.....		30.00
December 22—James interest.....		24.00
1925—		
January 10—Davis interest.....		21.00
January 31—T. C. Jones interest.....		9.00
January 24—Thomas interest.....		18.00
February 15—Patterson interest.....		15.00
February 26—Steenberg interest.....		30.00
March 6—Farmer note and interest.....	650.00	19.50
April 13—Ottinger interest.....		36.00
May 6—Pitts interest.....		7.50
May 1—W. F. Jones interest.....		21.00
May 23—Evans interest.....		21.00
June 10—Berryhill interest.....		30.00
June 12—Speakman interest.....		45.00
June 26—James interest.....		24.00
July 8—Davis interest.....		21.00
July 24—Thomas interest.....		18.00
July 31—T. C. Jones interest.....		9.00
August 26—Steenberg interest.....		30.00
August 17—Patterson interest.....		15.00
	\$ 963.41	\$ 555.80
Less accrued interest W. F. Jones note.....	\$300.00....	\$ .60
W. F. Jones.....	400.00....	9.80
J. L. Pitts.....	250.00....	4.35
		14.75
Net income .....		\$ 541.05

**Disbursements:****1924—**

November 4—W. F. Jones note.....	\$ 300.00	
December 17—Cash to Advocate Journal.....		\$ 140.00

**1925—**

March 19—W. F. Jones note.....	400.00	
March 19—Pitts (Joe H.) note.....	250.00	
March 9—Cash to Advocate Journal.....		100.00
May 25—Cash to Advocate Journal.....		100.00
July 1—Cash to Advocate Journal.....		100.00

	\$ 950.00	\$ 440.00
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Check to Balance.....		101.05
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Total Disbursements .....		\$ 541.05
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**Statement of Assets:**

Balance on hand of Principal Fund—Cash.....	\$ 13.41
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**First Mortgage Real Estate Notes:****Mortgagor****Principal**

Frank Ottinger .....	\$ 1,200.00	
W. Fred Jones.....	400.00	
W. Fred Jones.....	300.00	
T. B. Evans.....	700.00	
R. L. Thomas.....	600.00	
Ben W. Davis .....	700.00	
Bruce James .....	800.00	
J. W. Berryhill (H. N. Smith).....	1,000.00	
W. A. Speakman.....	1,500.00	
C. C. Steenberg.....	1,000.00	
T. C. Jones.....	300.00	
Harry Patterson .....	500.00	
Joe H. Pitts.....	250.00	9,250.00

	\$ 9,263.41
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Donation Notes unpaid.....	1,210.00
	\$10,473.41

First Mortgage Notes.....	\$9,250.00
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Cash for Investment.....	13.41
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Principal of Fund.....	\$9,263.41
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The above \$9,250.00 of notes are by approved and solvent individuals; are secured by first mortgage deeds of trust upon approved real estate in Chattanooga; all bear 6% per annum, payable semi-annually, are less than 50% of the appraised value of the real estate and are further fully protected by fire insurance upon the improvements.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN FERGEE, Treasurer.  
J. A. GRIGSBY, President.  
J. M. MELEAR, Secretary.

## Treasurer's Cash Report

### STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIVED AND PAID OUT

#### AT CONFERENCE

NEWPORT, TENN., OCTOBER, 1925

#### Received

1. Last year's balance as reported.....	\$ 33.27
2. Preachers' Aid, G. F. Lockmiller, Treasurer.....	2,622.91
3. Book Concern, Cincinnati.....	1,913.00
4. Board of Pensions, Chicago.....	1,000.00
5. Chartered Fund .....	40.00
6. Lucy Waters' Fund, G. F. Lockmiller, Treasurer.....	30.00
7. Mr. Shoupe, W. L. Humphrey, Asbury Memorial Fund .....	10.00
8. Conference Collections .....	26,711.33
9. Total cash received all sources.....	\$32,360.51

#### Paid Out

1. World Service, O. W. Auman, Treasurer, Chicago.....	\$15,393.00
2. Conference Claimants, W. K. Harris, Treasurer.....	13,386.91
3. Episcopal Fund, J. H. Race, Treasurer.....	1,958.00
4. General Conference Expenses, O. P. Miller, Treasurer....	363.00
5. Conference Minutes, O. R. Tarwater, Secretary.....	291.00
6. Conference Minutes, loan voted by Conference.....	25.00
7. Children's Day Fund, W. S. Bovard, Secretary.....	182.00
8. Woman's Home Missionary, Mrs. H. C. Black, Treas.....	58.00
9. Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, Mrs. C. R. Haensch, Treasurer .....	25.00
10. Chattanooga District Parsonage, O. A. Brammer, Treasurer .....	130.00
11. Preachers' Aid, G. F. Lockmiller, Treasurer.....	38.00
12. Asbury Memorial Fund, Bishop J. W. Hamilton, Treasurer .....	10.00
13. Expenses Treasurer's Office.....	2.00
14. Expenses Statistician's Office .....	1.00
15. Balance in City National Bank, Knoxville, Tenn.....	497.60
16. Total paid out and in Bank as above.....	\$32,360.51

NOTE—You observe a balance of cash in the bank in amount of \$497.60 to the credit of the Conference. Four hundred and fifty-eight dollars of this is for Conference Claimants which was sent to me several days after Conference and after distribution had been made by the Conference Board of Stewards. The Chairman and other members of the Conference Stewards have authorized me to place same on interest since it cannot be distributed now. The remaining \$39.60 is last year's and this year's cash balance from charges. It is hoped those who send in money late will observe the inconvenience to the conference officers and to Conference Claimants. It is written into the Treasurer's report for the minutes but money left on my hands.

WILLIAM F. PITTS, Treasurer,  
2534 Jefferson Avenue,  
Knoxville, Tennessee.

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### SPECIAL RESOLUTION

Whereas, the Tennessee Wesleyan College will need for the scholastic year 1925-1926—the first year of its history—more money to meet current expenses than it now has secured.

Therefore, Resolved that the Executive Committee of its Board of Trustees, do on this day, September 28, 1925, make a strong appeal and an earnest request that the Board of Education of the Holston Conference ask said Conference in its annual session next month to request that each pastor give the people of his charge, on or before June 1, 1926, an opportunity to make a free-will contribution, over and above the World Service apportionment, to help meet the important financial needs of the College.

The report was adopted.

UNIVERSITY OF CHATTANOOGA  
STATEMENT OF ENDOWMENT COLLECTIONS FOR CONFERENCE YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 13, 1925.

	Endowment	Interest
Highland Park M. E. ....	\$ 120.00	\$ 53.46
First M. E. ....	51,150.00	809.36
St. James .....	15.00	6.32
Manker Memorial .....	30.00	6.70
Alton Park .....	15.00	2.68
St. Marks .....	65.00	8.24
Rossville .....	15.00	
Avondale .....	20.00	3.60
Ridgedale .....	20.00	4.05
South Pittsburg .....		4.37
St. Elmo .....		1.20
Big Spring .....		3.36
	\$52,450.00	\$903.34

PAYMENTS ON PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST UNIVERSITY OF  
CHATTANOOGA ENDOWMENT

OCTOBER 10, 1924 to OCTOBER 3, 1925

(Pledges now held by Tennessee Wesleyan College)

BRISTOL DISTRICT:	Principal	Interest
Big Stone Gap .....	\$ 2.00	\$ .54
Bristol .....	29.00	2.70
Christianburg .....	11.00	11.70
Floyd .....	1.00	.18
Fries .....	1.00	.18
Glenford .....	45.00	.48
Gate City .....	24.00	10.98
LaFayette .....	1.00	.09
Nickelsville .....	5.00	1.41
Pennington Gap .....	2.00	.36
Roanoke .....	10.00	.45
Radford .....	25.00	4.65
Rose Hill .....	9.00	1.62
St. Charles .....	7.00	10.90
Salem .....	21.00	3.93
Wytheville .....	19.65	.84
Total .....	\$ 222.65	\$ 51.01
Total principal and interest as above.....		\$ 273.66



CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT:	Principal	Interest
Athens .....	\$ 566.23	\$ 184.80
Athens Circuit .....	15.00	2.25
Burks and Fairview .....	15.00	11.20
Chatata Circuit .....	25.00	7.56
Cleveland .....	50.00	9.00
Cleveland Circuit .....	40.00	6.26
Copperhill .....	19.00	2.97
Daisy .....	5.00	.75
Englewood and Tellico Plains.....	15.00	8.40
Etowah .....	96.00	46.53
First Church Chattanooga .....	155.00	22.95
Highland Park .....	55.00	8.25
Jasper and Whitwell .....	15.00	1.95
Manker Memorial .....	30.00	5.10
North Athens .....	5.00	.45
Red Bank .....	5.00	.45
Ridgedale .....	25.00	3.60
Soddy .....	5.00	.90
South Pittsburg .....	5.00	.90
St. James .....		9.00
St. Marks .....	1.00	8.67
Total .....	\$1,147.23	\$ 341.94
Total principal and interest as above.....		\$1,489.17

HARRIMAN DISTRICT:	Principal	Interest
Andersonville .....	\$ 2.00	\$ .36
Arthur and Liberty Hill.....	24.00	11.07
Byington .....	10.00	.90
Big Valley .....	2.00	
Clinton .....	20.00	
Dayton .....	3.00	
Decatur .....	52.00	
Graysville .....	1.00	.09
Harriman .....	20.00	3.45
Heiskell .....	12.00	5.15
Jellico .....		20.00
Kingston .....	6.00	6.78
LaFollette .....	16.00	3.72
Maynardsville .....	21.00	11.49
New Tazewell .....	5.00	3.90
Oakdale .....	40.00	11.00
Oliver .....	8.00	9.51
Rockwood .....	10.00	6.00
Sunbright .....	12.00	1.21
Vine Grove .....	8.00	1.92
Wells Springs .....	11.00	.54
Total .....	\$ 283.00	\$ 97.10
Total principal and interest as above.....		\$ 380.10

JOHNSON CITY DISTRICT:	Principal	Interest
Baileyton .....	\$ 6.00	\$ 5.85
Elizabethton .....	27.00	3.41
Fall Branch .....	10.00	1.80
Greeneville .....	220.00	57.14
Greeneville Circuit .....		15.00
Johnson City .....	301.00	73.53
Kingsport .....	22.00	2.07
Kingsport Circuit .....	25.00	2.70
Limestone .....	25.00	5.43
Morristown .....	91.00	55.25
Morristown Circuit .....	13.00	3.24
Mountain City and Butler .....	45.00	7.35
Newport .....	53.94	17.81
Parrottsville .....	34.00	6.39
Roane Mountain .....	5.00	.75
Rogersville .....	18.00	3.42
Sulphur Springs .....	20.00	2.04
Surgoinsville .....	8.00	1.20
Telford .....	6.00	.99
Total .....	\$ 939.94	\$ 265.37
Total principal and interest as above.....		\$1,205.31

KNOXVILLE DISTRICT:	Principal	Interest
Alcoa and Bungalow Town.....	\$ 28.00	\$ 6.00
Asbury .....		20.99
Chestnut Hill .....	1.00	
Dandridge .....	27.50	8.67
Fair Garden .....	3.00	.75
Friendsville and Walland .....	20.00	7.50
Jefferson City .....	1.00	.99
East Main Avenue .....	100.00	17.70
First Church Knoxville .....	255.00	254.88
Inskip .....	23.00	6.25
Jones Chapel .....	21.00	50.49
Lonsdale .....	19.00	51.45
Oakwood .....	47.00	16.93
Park City .....	58.00	19.77
Second Church Knoxville .....	70.00	48.09
South Knoxville .....	40.00	9.60
Whittle Springs .....	8.00	1.92
Knoxville Circuit .....	15.00	
Lenoir City .....	51.00	10.13
Lenoir City Circuit .....	5.50	16.95
Little River Circuit .....	79.00	13.35
Loudon .....	5.00	30.90
Maryville .....	14.00	21.70
Maryville Circuit .....	68.60	21.37
New Salem .....	20.00	34.50
Pigeon Forge .....	24.00	10.44

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Sevierville .....	74.00	19.83
Sevierville Circuit .....	2.00	.60
Thorn Grove .....	24.00	8.19
Townsend .....	30.00	
Trinity Church Knoxville .....	400.00	177.99
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Total .....	\$1,533.60	\$ 887.93
Total principal and interest as above.....		\$2,421.53

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## Recapitulation Totals

	Principal	Interest
Bristol District .....	\$ 222.65	\$ 51.01
Chattanooga District .....	1,147.23	341.94
Harriman District .....	283.00	97.10
Johnson City District .....	939.94	265.37
Knoxville District .....	1,533.60	887.93
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Total .....	\$4,126.42	\$1,643.35
Grand Total, principal and interest, all Districts.....		\$5,769.77

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This is to certify that this volume is a complete record of the proceedings of the Eighty-second Session of the Holston Conference, and is the Official Record of this Conference.

O. R. Tarwater, Secretary.

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**Statistics**  
**of the**  
**Holston Annual Conference**  
**1925**



**WM. F. PITTS**  
**Conference Treasurer**  
**Knoxville, Tenn.**



**W. C. MARTIN**  
**Statistical Secretary**  
**Knoxville, Tenn.**



# STATISTICS No. 1—BRISTOL DISTRICT

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTORS	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										CHURCH MEMBERSHIP						
		Support of Pastor		Support of Bishop		Support of Con. Clmns.		Total Paid for Min-isterial Support	Total Deficiency	Baptisms		Prep'tory Members		Full Membership				
		Total House Rent	Total Claim, Includ- ing House Rent	Total Paid, Includ- ing House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Total Claim	Total Paid	Claim	Paid	Children Baptized	Adults Baptized	Received During Year	Now on Roll	Received from P. M. or Professors of Faith	Received by Transfer	On Non-Residents	Non-Resident- Inactive Members	Deaths During Year
1 Bristol.....	L. D. Hamill.....	\$ 2900	\$ 2900	\$ 500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	14	14	1	13	55	318	128	.....
2 Big Stone Gap.....	C. E. Bevins.....	525	470	.....	.....	53	38	3	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	218	.....	.....
3 Christiansburg.....	N. A. Conner.....	1500	1535	240	.....	125	125	14	70	11	41	56	.....	56	15	371	.....	.....
4 Clinch Valley.....	N. P. King.....	585	485	60	.....	60	60	4	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	76	8	371	.....	.....
5 Floyd.....	G. W. Woodward.....	1150	1050	100	.....	105	105	18	80	100	100	76	.....	100	.....	606	.....	10
6 Fries.....	F. J. Campbell.....	700	660	75	.....	85	85	3	12	40	.....	.....	.....	760	.....	405	.....	.....
7 Franklin.....	H. T. Weaver.....	250	250	.....	.....	50	50	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	6	216	.....	1
8 Glenford.....	G. L. Shupe.....	1150	1085	150	.....	100	100	12	52	1249	.....	9	10	47	6	700	52	6
9 Greendale.....	W. H. Johnston.....	709	625	50	.....	65	49	4	50	131	31	16	16	34	4	430	2	2
10 Gate City.....	W. A. Graybeal.....	1465	1365	300	.....	116	108	10	70	153	12	16	11	16	4	470	.....	.....
11 Hilton.....	C. I. Poulton.....	600	575	125	.....	50	50	5	35	49	15	15	.....	15	58	439	90	5
12 Jonesville.....	J. H. Ely.....	405	405	.....	.....	40	40	.....	.....	13	45	45	.....	45	4	414	1	.....
13 Konaerock.....	H. A. Blankenship.....	450	450	60	.....	60	60	.....	.....	28	28	.....	.....	28	4	338	.....	.....
14 LaFayette.....	F. B. Shusher.....	450	934	250	.....	104	75	8	16	529	16	.....	.....	8	3	186	14	4
15 Marietta.....	J. L. Cox.....	1240	900	100	.....	80	80	6	65	1058	8	2	.....	2	4	264	40	1
16 Nickelville.....	J. W. P. Barber.....	500	490	.....	.....	52	52	3	.....	45	11	.....	.....	11	.....	287	.....	.....
17 Pattonville.....	D. B. Cooper.....	1400	1400	200	.....	133	120	5	80	567	37	45	22	45	20	223	10	1
18 Pennington Gap.....	J. H. Fort.....	1400	1400	300	.....	236	18	18	70	70	28	28	.....	45	23	213	4	.....
19 Radford.....	J. M. Gamhill.....	1300	1300	300	.....	109	109	18	78	1459	31	31	.....	31	6	409	.....	.....
20 Radford.....	J. G. Cravler.....	1350	1300	150	.....	80	60	10	70	68	2	25	.....	25	10	311	73	3
21 Rose Hill.....	M. M. Ball.....	600	575	.....	.....	60	60	8	25	668	38	4	4	47	3	289	91	3
22 Russell.....	C. E. Trencham.....	1040	1040	100	.....	93	12	12	50	1195	17	.....	.....	30	.....	372	.....	.....
23 Riner.....	E. H. Ogile.....	1380	1380	180	.....	120	120	10	35	1545	14	18	13	17	.....	109	10	1
24 St. Charles.....	R. C. Melton.....	1300	1300	200	.....	120	120	18	70	1475	3	1	.....	1	3	282	.....	.....
25 Salem.....	R. Harrison.....	135	125	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	127	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	36	.....	.....
26 Swords Creek.....	E. P. Leary.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	67	.....	.....
27 Wise.....	E. L. Bowyer.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	375	6	3
28 Wytheville.....	.....	1250	1275	150	.....	110	110	15	75	1475	15	15	4	24	.....	975	.....	.....
Totals.....		\$ 26615	\$ 25724	\$ 3240	\$ 2160	\$ 2404	\$ 2566	\$ 237	\$ 1078	\$ 1015	75	525	191	647	226	9083	547	46

## STATISTICS No. 2--BRISTOL DISTRICT

NAME OF CHARGE	Sunday Schools			Epworth League		Church Property						Miscellaneous					
	Number of Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Enrolled in All Departments	Senior Members	Junior Members	Church Buildings	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Value Other Properties, Endowments, Bonds	Paid for Building and Improvements	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Property	Present Indebtedness on Property	Current Expenses	Local Preachers	Subscribers to the Advocates	Amount Contributed by Ladies Aid Society
1 Bristol.....	1	19	534	249	51	1	\$33,000	1 \$12,000	\$	\$801	\$	\$712	1	19 \$1600			
2 Big Stone Gap.....	3	24	290	187	3	3	7000	1	3000				26	3	189		
3 Christianburg.....	3	20	330	195	4	20	8500	1	1000				150	5			
4 Clinch Valley.....	8	32	679	381			10,000	1	3000	406			46	1	10		
5 Floyd.....	2	48	688	500		3½	14,000	1	1400	25	65		56	4	4		
6 Fries.....	3	51	535	389		4	4800						36	4	25		
7 Franklin.....	7	67	635	400	50	15	11,500	1	2000	275			75	3	25		
8 Glenford.....	11½	59	497	332	60	7	16,500	1	2000				150	1	13		
9 Greendale.....	8	26	276	200	60	5	18,000	1	4500	335	800		50	2	13		
10 Gate City.....	8	35	440	250	25	5	13,000	1	4000					1	6		
11 Hilton.....	6	27	414	287	36	5½	8000				217		39	1	3		
12 Jonesville.....	2	22	307	189		4	9000	1	1000				54	1			
13 Konnarock.....	4	18	191	126		4	11,000	1	1800	300	245		60	1	25		
14 LaFayette.....	5	31	323	225		6	32,000	1	1500				150	2	12		
15 Marion.....	4½	26	290	175	41	6½	45,000						38	2	16		
16 Nickelsville.....	5	41	432	276		4	32,000	1	2030	15,000	2150		200	2	17		
17 Pattons ville.....	3	28	310	185	35	3	23,000						95	2	13		
18 Pennington Gap.....	3	17	234	117	18	3½	17,500	1	4000				148	3	8		
19 Roanoke.....	4	28	451	285	49	42	32,000	1	2500	296	1598		138	1	360		
20 Radford.....	4	28	415	261	47	5	11,300	1	2000		12		58	2	7		
21 Rose Hill.....	6	33	415	232	23	5	9500	1	2000	85	60		48	3	75		
22 Russell.....	4	29	302	232	23	5	35,000	1	1500	338	40		325	1	12		
23 St. Charles.....	2	15	257	170	26	1	5000	1	5000	60				2	12		
24 St. Charles.....	1	1	264	140	25	40								1	7		
25 Salem.....	1	3	40											2	20		
26 Swords Creek.....	1	8	81	68		3	4500	1		200				4	160		
27 Wise.....	4	25	475	375		4	10,000										
28 Wytheville.....					15	4											
District Parsonage Totals.	112	781	10,238	6190	474	123	\$348,600	19 \$682,000	\$300	\$203,46	\$2977	\$166,42	\$3634	46	208	\$4853	

# STATISTICS No. 1—CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT

NAME OF CHARGE	Name of Pastors	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										CHURCH MEMBERSHIP								
		Support of Pastor		Support of Dist. Supt.		Support of Bishop		Support of Con. Clms.		Total Deficiency	Children Baptized	Adults Baptized	Received During Year	Now on Roll	Received from P. M. or Professors of Faith	Transferred by	On Roll not including Non-Residents	Non-Resident Members	Deaths During Year	
		Total Claim, Including House Rent	Total Paid, Including House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Total Claim	Total Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim											Paid
1 Athens.....	William F. Pitts.....	\$ 3000	\$ 3000	\$ 600	\$ 220	\$ 220	\$ 45	\$ 30	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 3350	17	4	27	6	243	36	1	6	
2 Athens, East Ct.....	Homer L. Webb.....	500	500	510	40	40	10	8	543	543	350	18	72	21	21	3	252	36	1	
3 Athens, North.....	John F. Wyatt.....	510	510	110	40	40	9	9	50	50	609	4	1	4	4	3	100	20	1	
4 Athens Circuit.....	Albert C. Kerton.....	1200	1050	200	100	85	6	25	1166	1166	609	6	1	1	1	1	388	3	1	
5 Burke & Fairview.....	W. C. Daniels.....	600	564	60	51	9	7	40	15	638	71	1	27	32	32	2	96	1	4	
6 Chatata Circuit.....	J. O. Lawson.....	985	762	92	92	16	4	80	10	868	24	4	28	28	1	436	1	4	4	
7 Chattahoochee.....	Joe M. Hampton.....	2300	2300	500	100	100	30	30	100	100	2530	17	4	27	6	243	36	1	1	
8 Alton Park.....	J. L. Chaney.....	1650	1650	350	120	120	25	25	97	1892	18	72	43	43	90	29	281	1	1	
9 Ayovale.....	Charles A. Briggs.....	6000	6000	1200	500	500	100	425	425	7025	4	1	7	7	13	29	120	60	1	
10 First Church.....	Robert L. Stapleton.....	3100	3100	600	250	250	45	45	200	200	3595	6	9	19	19	21	343	60	4	
11 Highland Park.....	Sydney E. Stringham.....	2450	2450	450	120	120	15	15	10	10	2595	8	28	42	42	3	318	26	1	
12 Market Mem.....	C. F. Lucas.....	2600	2600	600	120	120	32	10	100	30	2760	9	6	15	23	3	180	9	2	
13 Ridgedale.....	W. L. Picking.....	2700	2750	600	140	140	10	10	40	2940	16	36	41	41	11	267	38	5	5	
14 St. James.....	W. C. Marks.....	2900	2900	500	100	100	45	45	140	140	3185	15	36	41	11	36	33	524	1	1
15 St. Marks.....	Walter A. Smith.....	3100	3100	500	180	180	42	42	180	180	3502	11	3	1	1	3	312	38	1	1
16 Cleveland Circuit.....	W. R. Curtis.....	910	855	100	81	81	16	7	81	30	973	11	3	1	1	3	312	38	1	1
17 Cleveland Circuit.....	L. E. Kilgore.....	700	700	100	100	93	22	8	80	80	809	61	11	4	4	31	206	75	3	3
18 Coalwood.....	M. H. Rambo.....	2200	2200	400	180	180	40	40	180	180	2600	11	4	8	8	4	31	206	75	3
19 Copperhill.....	V. C. Nichols.....	1605	1605	150	100	100	3	3	10	1659	4	4	8	8	4	31	206	75	3	3
20 Daisy.....	Chas. H. Taylor.....	1500	1500	500	100	100	40	40	180	180	2600	11	4	8	8	4	31	206	75	3
21 Englewood & Tell. Pl.....	Wm. M. Taylor.....	2500	2500	500	125	125	40	20	200	125	2770	95	2	23	23	36	236	14	1	1
22 Elowah Circuit.....	Charles Holiday.....	375	375	120	50	50	8	5	40	13	443	30	2	9	1	12	4	88	14	1
23 Farmout.....	George Ernest Blanchard.....	400	400	120	40	40	5	5	30	30	475	2	9	1	1	12	4	88	14	1
24 Jasper & Whitwell.....	C. R. Alburn.....	750	750	84	60	60	5	5	25	25	835	2	9	1	1	12	4	88	14	1
25 Patten Community.....	Stephen E. Taylor.....	350	350	30	40	40	5	5	25	25	420	2	1	7	7	2	1	242	8	1
26 Patten Community Ct.....	G. F. Swafford.....	371	371	25	25	25	6	6	25	2	424	2	1	7	7	2	1	242	8	1
27 McDonald Circuit.....	Paul Barker.....	480	480	45	60	60	8	3	50	50	540	6	3	1	1	2	1	242	8	1
28 Mt. Airy Circuit.....	B. M. Morrison.....	1800	1800	150	150	150	30	30	57	2037	6	3	1	1	2	2	146	10	1	1
29 Red Bank.....	O. C. Nichols.....	1120	1120	120	100	100	5	5	20	20	1245	1	1	10	10	5	30	229	29	2
30 Soddy.....	T. H. Roach.....	1040	1040	100	100	100	23	23	100	100	1263	1	1	10	10	5	30	229	29	2
31 South Pittsburg.....	J. H. Scissom.....	100	100	25	25	25	23	23	100	100	1263	1	1	10	10	5	30	229	29	2
32 Tracy City Circuit.....	J. H. Scissom.....	100	100	25	25	25	23	23	100	100	1263	1	1	10	10	5	30	229	29	2
33	Totals.....	\$ 48923	\$ 48489	\$ 7784	\$ 3503	\$ 3477	\$ 615	\$ 53	\$ 221	\$ 54565	630	134	246	340	72	358	339	8245	584	50



# STATISTICS No. 2—CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT

## NAME OF CHARGE

NAME OF CHARGE	Sunday Schools				Epworth League		Church Property								Miscellaneous			
	Number of Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Enrolled in All Departments	Average Attendance	Senior Members	Junior Members	Church Buildings	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Value Other Properties, Endowments, Bonds	Paid for Building and Improvements	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Property	Present Indebtedness on Property	Current Expenses	Local Preachers	Subscribers to the	Amount Contributed by Ladies' Aid Society
1 Athens.....	1	32	600	325	65	40	1	\$ 50000	1	\$ 12000	\$	\$ 300	\$ 2200	\$ 1800	\$ 800	8	60	\$ 625
2 Athens, East Ct.....	3	14	310	180	25	65	1	3000	1	1500		225	100		25		4	
3 Athens, North.....	1	10	175	78	25		1	3000	1	3500		125			90		7	16
4 Athens Circuit.....	1	21	265	145			2	10500				50			40			
5 Burks & Fairview.....	2	19	239	150	25	12	2	3500				100			25	1	10	
6 Chattanooga :	5	28	328	160	80		9	5000										
7 Chattanooga :	1	15	227	156	20	40	1	35000	1	4500		600	500	1750	636	2	14	600
8 Alton Park.....	1	15	337	206	77		1	8000	1	3000		265	578					
9 Avondale.....	1	15	337	206	77	82	1	96000	2	23500		1835	1500	6000	19000	7	25	1200
10 First Church.....	1	61	677	353	77	27	1	45000	2	15000		250	2000		1275	1		575
11 Highland Park.....	1	24	399	239	39	27	1	80000	1	3000		20000	37500		400			1880
12 Manker Mem.....	1	20	260	175	60	29	1	7000	1	6000		350	1150	2500	312		15	429
13 Ridgedale.....	1	18	188	98			1	32000	1	8000		2000	1150	3500	756	1		226
14 St. James.....	1	18	221	119	32		1	52500	1	8350		175	1500	17500	949	1	30	320
15 St. Marks.....	1	32	409	240	33	30	1	7000	1	1500		40	1000	8000		1	8	
16 Cleveland.....	1	28	455	235	105	61	2	50000	1	6000		125	1664	1700	50	1		2
17 Cleveland Circuit.....	4	20	280	175	30	15	9	2000	1	4500		175	1500	17500	340	2	40	600
18 Coalmont.....	1	6	106	50			2	15000	1	8000		125	1664	1700	125			
19 Copperhill.....	1	18	245	135	48	20	2	2500	1	500		500		300	190	1	17	
20 Daisy.....	1	12	324	228		14	3	7000	1	8000			1683	3105	832	1	50	403
21 Englewood & Tell. Pl.....	2	24	302	216	31	21	1	6000	2	8000		250			25		2	
22 Etowah.....	1	22	260	178	15		4	6000				41						
23 Etowah Circuit.....	4	22	290	158	20		1	1500	1	1500								404
24 Fairmount.....	1	8	99	58	20		7	6000	1	1200								
25 Jasper & Whitwell.....	1	25	250	175														
26 Patten Community.....	6	56	365	255			2	1200								1		
27 Patten Community Ct.....	4	28	193	75			4	4000										
28 McDonald Circuit.....	5	29	348	275	65		3	8150				650	800	1600	400	12		
29 Mt. Airy Circuit.....	3	20	175	125		35	1	17000				1200	65		770		5	189
30 Red Bank.....	1	15	242	172	52	27	1	3200	1	2000		200			50		6	
31 Soddy.....	1	14	286	172	36	27	1	6000										
32 South Pittsburg.....	1	8	125	94			4	2500										
33 Tracy City Circuit.....	5	24	350	200														
Totals.....	72	706	9142	5524	909	530	68	\$ 575550	21	\$ 117550	\$	\$ 23831	\$ 52240	\$ 47845	\$ 27150	28	805	\$ 7169

# STATISTICS No. 1—HARRIMAN DISTRICT

NAME OF CHARGE	Name of Pastors	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										CHURCH MEMBERSHIP																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																											
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# STATISTICS No. 2—HARRIMAN DISTRICT

NAME OF CHARGE	Sunday Schools				Epworth League		Church Property								Miscellaneous			
	Number of Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Enrolled in All Departments	Average Attendance	Junior Members	Senior Members	Church Buildings	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Value Other Properties, Endowments, Bonds	Paid for Building and Improvements	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Property	Present Indebtedness on Property	Current Expenses	Local Preachers	Advocates to the	Amount Contributed by Ladies' Aid Society
1 Andersonville	6	36	290	190			8	20,000	1	\$ 1000	\$	\$ 166		\$	\$ 165	1		
2 Arthur	6	24	200	100			8	6800	1	4000					154	1	8	
3 Byington	1	10	150	95	50		1	4000				25			50	3	9	
4 Big Valley	1 1/2	12	262	175			6	5000	1	1000		195			81	1	4	135
5 Burrville	2	9	187	115			6	5000	1	300		10			150	12	26	30
6 Clinton	2	15	182	97	20	25	2	6000	1	3000					150	3	10	30
7 Crossville	3	25	275	225	65	40	3	7000		4000		625	175	630	175	10	10	175
8 Dayton	3	22	300	163	30	30	2	8000	1	1500				90	50	2	20	
9 Decatur	5	30	420	300	25		3	13000	1	1000		600		100	200	1	8	
10 Graysville	4	36	436	225			3	3500	2	10000		317			350	1	27	202
11 Harriman	1	12	185	85			1	6500	1	300		125		500	25	1	3	30
12 Heiskell	3	25	175	125	30	15	1	8000		5000					40	1	3	
13 Newcomb & Jacksboro.	4	28	353	275	63	22	2	68500	1	5000				27650	2418	1	12	45
14 Jellico	1	25	403	209			2	5000	1	3500		615		200	218	1	12	158
15 Kingston	2	15	255	110	50		1	31000	1	4000		225	233	500	325	1	20	145
16 LaFollette	1	11	325	122	60	30	1	7500	1	300						1	25	175
17 Maynardsville	3	12	250	200			3	1600	1	700								
18 Morgan Springs	6	24	250	180			4	30000		1500		85	50	5000	50	1	4	5
19 New Tazewell	4	32	438	230			4	8000	1	1500		400			180	1		400
20 Oakdale	1	14	234	130			1	10000		3000		100	75		230	2		
21 Oliver Springs	7	36	374	210	20		9	8000	1	2500		2145	911		450		5	1028
22 Oneida	2	16	213	125			2	8000	1	1000		616			25		15	36
23 Rockwood	1	14	417	185	36		4	8000	1	1000		35	106	44	25		130	26
24 Sunbright	5	46	406	223	40		4	7000	1	2000		130			175			
25 Vine Grove	4	40	440	275	50		4	7000	1	1000		58			60	1	23	95
26 Wells Springs	4	18	233	191			5	7000	1	1000								
Totals.....	82 1/2	582	7815	4607	479	177	99	\$ 297400	21	\$ 47600	\$	\$ 6782	\$ 1550	\$ 34714	\$ 5978	21	238	\$ 3275

# STATISTICS No. 1—JOHNSON CITY DISTRICT

NAME OF CHARGE	Name of Pastors	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										CHURCH MEMBERSHIP									
		Support of Pastor		Support of Bishop		Support of Con. Clams.		Total Deficiency		Baptisms	Pre-atory Members		Full Membership								
		Total Claim, Includ- ing House Rent	Total Paid, Includ- ing House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Total Claim	Total Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim		Paid	Total Paid for Min- isterial Support	Children Baptized	Adults Baptized	Received During Year	Now on Roll	Received from P. M. or Professors of Faith	Transfer by	On Roll not includ- ing Non-Residents	Non-Resident- Inactive Members	Deaths During Year
1 Baileyton.....	J. W. Hamilton.....	\$ 1320	\$ 1270	\$ 120	\$ 120	\$ 115	\$ 15	\$ 15	\$ 120	\$ 120	\$ 1520	\$ 55	38	14	38	1	249	82	6		
2 Chucky.....	I. B. Leonard.....	1200	1200	100	110	150	30	30	150	85	1410	5	1	1	1	3	562	3			
3 Elizabethton.....	Cleop Dobbs.....	1800	1800		150	150	30	30	150	180	2130	143	1	3	2	10	219	4			
4 Fall Branch.....	T. E. Goodman.....	1000	870		100	87	20	20	100	100	1077	1	3	1	1	611		7			
5 Greenville.....	W. K. Harris.....	2400	2400		120	120	30	30	250	240	2690	60	3	4	4	10	306	7			
6 Greenville Circuit.....	T. H. Conner.....	1240	1240		100	87	20	15	123	120	1862	121	1	68	63	11	681	4			
7 Johnson City.....	N. H. Cardwell.....	3600	3600		900	270	50	50	215	215	4135	21	42	63	21	32	574	7			
8 Kingsport.....	E. O. Woodard.....	2000	2000		700	120	21	21	100	100	2241	125	3	17	21	32	237	4			
9 Kingsport Circuit.....	J. W. Grace.....	1100	1000		150	90	10	10	50	25	1125	125	9	9	9	11	488	5			
10 Limestone.....	O. A. Lawson.....	1000	1000		150	85	33	33	200	200	3148	4	10	11	11	12	319	15			
11 Morristown.....	O. R. Tarwater.....	2700	2700		600	210	105	12	100	100	1417	4	6	6	16	16	325	3			
12 Morristown Circuit.....	Dewey Jenkins.....	1200	1200		150	120	18	18	150	150	1638	205	1	1	2	2	262	9			
13 Mosheim.....	W. C. Winslow.....	1350	1350		120	75	28	8	140	10	1338	95	13	13	13	49	422	6			
14 Mt. City & Butler.....	D. C. Slagie.....	1300	1250		200	90	15	5	100	15	1200	95	3	31	18	22	433	3			
15 Mt. City Circuit.....	D. L. Howell.....	1090	1090		180	90	25	25	150	150	2575	27	2	2	7	7	110	4			
16 Newport.....	J. W. Broyles.....	2300	2300		300	200	58	5	5	269	27	2	36	3	43	43	612	4			
17 Newport Circuit.....	W. S. Whittenbarger.....	172	1472		72	140	30	30	100	100	1742	2	4	4	13	13	91	4			
18 Parrottsville.....	R. E. Walker.....	800	800		250	50	10	10	50	25	915	25	15	15	21	1	435	3			
19 Pittman Center.....	C. J. Fornman.....	840	800		240	80	13	13	50	25	1115	95	4	4	22	22	1305	1			
20 Roane Mountain.....	G. W. Matney.....	1050	1050		170	77	65	12	25	25	951	4	22	22	22	22	400	8			
21 Rogersville.....	Owen Marshall.....	850	850		50	64	12	12	25	5	348	232	3	3	18	18	27	8			
22 Rutledge.....	W. H. Quary.....	500	297		50	42	5	4	25	5	348	232	3	3	18	18	27	8			
23 Sneedville.....	J. A. Gillespie.....	1275	1175		75	120	104	35	25	125	100	1404	151	1	16	17	700	3			
24 Sulphur Springs.....	E. G. Gillespie.....	965	965		120	90	15	15	50	50	1120	1	1	4	22	5	455	2			
25 Surgoinsville.....	S. G. Kopper.....	1315	1700		150	110	97	13	13	100	75	1885	88	258	258	159	27	777	6		
26 Telford.....	S. A. Hopper.....	749	661		24	43	43	5	40	40	749	88	157	157	22	15	433	3			
27 Unicoi.....	W. Z. Harshbarger.....																				
Totals.....		\$ 36171	\$ 35710	\$ 5203	\$ 2940	\$ 2847	\$ 480	\$ 421	\$ 2598	\$ 2055	\$ 4103	\$ 1422	62	611	249	50	620	17310308	727	134	

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## NAME OF CHARGE

	Sunday Schools				Epworth League		Church Property								Miscellaneous			
	Number of Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Enrolled in All Departments	Average Attendance	Senior Members	Junior Members	Church Buildings	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Value Other Properties, Endowments, Bonds	Paid for Building and Improvements	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Property	Present Indebtedness on Property	Current Expenses	Local Preachers	Subscribers to the Advocates	Amount Contributed by Ladies' Aid Society
1 Baileytown.....	5	35	333	300	25	.....	5	\$ 11,000	1	\$ 4,500	\$.....	\$ 1,035	\$.....	\$ 3,000	163	1	5	\$ 482
2 Chucky.....	1	48	525	352	.....	.....	5	12,950	1	2,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	50
3 Elizabethon.....	1	10	200	105	76	.....	5	18,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	232	2	10	300
4 Fall Branch.....	4	48	491	253	.....	.....	6	12,000	.....	2,500	.....	1,355	.....	.....	50	.....	30	.....
5 Greeneville.....	1	24	619	308	45	.....	1	50,000	.....	5,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	840	.....	29	105
6 Greeneville Circuit.....	7	60	800	350	.....	.....	8	18,000	.....	3,000	.....	800	.....	200	.....	2	10	70
7 Johnson City.....	1	89	532	240	35	31	1	90,000	2	25,000	.....	1,300	13,000	850	125	2	10	550
8 Johnson City.....	1	15	400	223	38	40	1	56,500	.....	10,000	.....	6,505	1,000	.....	368	1	8	813
9 Kingsport Circuit.....	3	36	450	300	.....	.....	1	13,000	.....	1,000	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
10 Limestone.....	5	43	350	225	.....	.....	5	15,000	.....	4,000	.....	3400	600	.....	100	.....	.....	75
11 Morristown.....	1	38	351	165	41	45	1	25,000	.....	10,000	.....	50	129	650	1822	.....	28	208
12 Morristown Circuit.....	5	47	454	300	38	29	1	10,000	.....	1,500	.....	390	.....	.....	650	.....	29	200
13 Mosheim.....	6	50	659	432	.....	.....	5	15,000	.....	3,000	.....	250	.....	.....	362	.....	.....	.....
14 Mt. City & Butler.....	3	24	272	155	.....	.....	5	18,000	.....	3,000	.....	640	44	30	101	1	22	340
15 Mt. City Circuit.....	5	31	613	248	46	.....	5	31,000	.....	2,400	.....	1,800	.....	1,400	.....	.....	.....	.....
16 Newport.....	1	14	289	155	36	22	1	30,000	.....	3,500	.....	1,250	500	5,500	800	3	10	700
17 Newport Circuit.....	3	26	326	250	.....	.....	4	8,500	.....	1,500	.....	550	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18 Parrottsville.....	8	32	845	486	40	.....	8	20,000	.....	1,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	25	.....
19 Pittman Center.....	5	26	351	321	70	.....	5	35,000	.....	1,400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20 Roane Mountain.....	4	23	318	250	.....	.....	7	18,350	.....	1	4,500	700	.....	2,000	115	3	6	300
21 Rogersville.....	2	12	124	70	.....	.....	3	12,000	.....	1	1,500	100	100	1,800	300	.....	21	.....
22 Rutledge.....	4	28	275	250	110	25	4	52,000	.....	.....	.....	35	.....	.....	392	.....	22	.....
23 Sneedville.....	3	18	208	160	.....	.....	5 1/2	38,000	.....	1,075	1,750	370	1,300	2,000	126	.....	25	400
24 Sulphur Springs.....	5 1/2	35	773	500	23	.....	6 1/2	19,000	.....	8,000	.....	500	100	.....	150	2	30	200
25 Surgoinsville.....	5	32	400	250	.....	.....	6	9,500	.....	1,200	.....	797	.....	.....	172	.....	.....	290
26 Telford.....	5 1/2	48	635	438	313	.....	5	7,600	.....	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
27 Unicoi.....	6	43	638	385	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals.....	108	880	12,331	7,473	936	192	122 3/4	\$ 591,100	25	\$104,275	\$ 1750	\$ 27,324	\$ 2713	\$ 36,080	\$ 7,498	28	405	\$ 5053



# STATISTICS No. 1—KNOXVILLE DISTRICT

NAME OF CHARGE	Name of Pastors	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT						CHURCH MEMBERSHIP										
		Support of Pastor		Support of Dist. Supt.		Support of Bishop		Support of Con. Clmns.		Total Deficiency		Baptisms		Prep'tory Members		Full Membership		Deaths During Year
		Total Claim, Includ- ing House Rent	Total Paid, Includ- ing House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Total Claim	Total Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Total Paid for Min- isterial Support	Total Deficiency	Children Baptized	Adults Baptized	Received During Year	Now on Roll	Received from P. M. or Professors of Faith	
1 Alcoa & Bungalowtown.		\$ 1480	\$ 1480	\$ 180	\$ 130	\$ 72	\$ 25	\$ 100	\$ 5	\$ 1532	\$ 183	30	7	46	27	135	80	
2 Ashbury.....	Solon McNeese.....	800	800		25	50	20	50	5	860	90	2	5	5	5	69	14	1
3 Burlington.....	W. H. Graves.....	600	600		25					860	90	2	5	5	5	69	14	1
4 Chestnut Hill.....	Chas. L. Kirby.....	1350	1350		120	76	25	120	80	1521	94	75	81	79	2	1051	10	6
5 Dandridge.....	W. L. Roberts.....	1470	1430		150	132	25	125	50	1590	162	20	19	20	4	610		2
6 Erie Circuit.....	H. L. Clark.....	550	424		55	46	3	3	3	476	135	21	24	24	2	248		2
7 Fair Garden.....	J. O. Cox.....	1024	1024		100	86				1110	14	44	48	44	2	518		2
8 Friendsville & Walland.....	J. F. Coldwell.....	1200	1200		120	84	25	10	100	1337	98	2	53	54	16	400	2	5
9 Jefferson City.....	Jesse Price.....	400	375		40	16				389	51				2	151		
10 Knoxville.....	J. A. Mitchell.....	1800	1800		300	100	10	100	100	2010		3	9	13	5	306	34	1
11 East Main Avenue.....	Victor W. Thrall.....	5400	5400		350	350	100	100	450	6300		20	18	18	30	893	48	12
12 First Church.....	Joseph M. Dew.....	1500	1500		300	60	20	15	80	1630	30	15	2	17	8	181	10	3
13 Inskip.....	J. F. Rowe.....	2100	2100		300	100	40	10	175	100	105	9	21	16	22	352	28	5
14 Oakdale.....	W. D. Wilkinson.....	2200	2200		400	150	110	25	25	2385	90	38	3	26	5	304	14	2
15 Park City.....	J. M. Emertson.....	2550	2550		400	150	30	30	100	2830		10	10	17	55	430	64	1
16 Second Church.....	Geo. J. Creswell.....	3400	3400		400	250	25	25	150	3825		12	82	130	41	1026	85	15
17 South Knoxville.....	Guy C. Smith.....	520	520		24		5	3	3	528	24	4	2	2	11	560	57	3
18 Trinity.....	Gay C. Williams.....	5000	5000		1000	400	100	200	200	5700		19	2	23	6	20	80	2
19 Vestal.....	G. T. Francisco.....	2220	2220		420	150	10	10	50	2430		9	8	15	8	310	15	3
20 Whittle Springs.....	Chas. B. Tarwater.....	2220	2220		400	65	20	20	30	2430		3	11	3	12	245		2
21 Knoxville Circuit.....	Chas. H. Ely.....	1400	1400		300	90	25	10	100	2020	95	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
22 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
23 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
24 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
25 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
26 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
27 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
28 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
29 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
30 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
31 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
32 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
33 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
34 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
35 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
36 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
37 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
38 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
39 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
40 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
41 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
42 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
43 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
44 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
45 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
46 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
47 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
48 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
49 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
50 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
51 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
52 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
53 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
54 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
55 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
56 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
57 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
58 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
59 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
60 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
61 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
62 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
63 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
64 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
65 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
66 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
67 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
68 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
69 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
70 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
71 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
72 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3
73 Knoxville City Circuit.....	Jas. T. Bird.....	1800	1800		300	100	20	20	110	2020	10	1	34	31	3	200	119	3

# STATISTICS No. 2—KNOXVILLE DISTRICT

NAME OF CHARGE	Sunday Schools			Epworth League		Church Property								Miscellaneous				
	Number of Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers		Enrolled in All Departments	Senior Members	Junior Members	Church Buildings	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Value Other Properties, Endowments, Bonds and Improvements	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Property	Present Indebtedness on Property	Current Expenses	Local Preachers	Subscribers to the Advocates	Amount Contributed by Ladies' Aid Society	
1 Alcoa & Bungalowtown.....	2	23	350	200	65	65	2	\$ 13000			\$	\$ 160	\$ 350	\$ 2700	\$ 300		20	260
2 Asbury.....	1	14	92	56	53	53	1	5000	1			1700		3800	75	3	95	
3 Burlington.....	1	10	225	78	36	36	1	5500	1						200	1	145	
4 Chestnut Hill.....	8	64	688	454	73	73	6	9200	1			22			266	3	7	
5 Dandridge.....	7	68	789	385	73	73	6	12980	1			25			500		79	
6 Erie Circuit.....	3	21	248	175			3	7500		75		146			50			
7 Fair Garden.....	7	35	413	283			4	3500	1			310			12	12		
8 Friendsville & Walland.....	4	34	385	241	60	70	4	16000							100	2	100	
9 Jefferson City.....	4	21	255	145			4	12000							2	13	100	
10 Knoxville:															4	6		
11 East Main Avenue.....	1	21	325	170	40	46	1	12000	1			200			300	8	103	
12 First Church.....	1	61	701	432	120	32	1	115000	1			8000			8000	3	1436	
13 Inskip.....	1	12	191	130	30	32	1	15000	1			4500	1400		2090	24	1255	
14 Lonsdale.....	1	17	326	160	30	45	1	12000	1			15			865	1	42	
15 Oakwood.....	1	18	224	165	34	30	1	30000	1			575	2396	4600	304	1	7	
16 Park City.....	1	30	592	350	65	50	1	50000	1			400	14250	5000	1060	1	60	
17 Second Church.....	1	36	1250	610	125	134	1	40000	1			6000	2100	2100	2150	3	332	
18 South Knoxville.....	1	12	147	80	30	25	1	4000	1			200	100	400	200	2	250	
19 Trinity.....	1	33	508	228	65	25	1	65000	1			435	2000	8000	4372	2	813	
20 Vestal.....	1	20	325	186	32	20	1	30000	1			20000			200	10		
21 Whittle Springs.....	1	31	366	220	62	30	1	15000	1			1205	1000	2000	500	10	900	
22 Knoxville Circuit.....	5	26	471	243	43	72	1	11500	1			225	800	900	108	3	105	
23 Lenoir City.....	5	42	390	230	20	20	6	9000	1			500			300	25	105	
24 Lenoir City Circuit.....	5	31	595	350	60	60	5	12000	1			20	1566	6970	300	1	450	
25 Little River Circuit.....	3	44	619	359	56	40	3	31000	1			500	4000	21900	520	12	506	
26 Loudon.....	1	50	520	345	30	28	4	76400	1			200			150	2	400	
27 Maryville.....	6	16	161	90	70	70	4	5000	1						225	1		
28 Maryville Circuit.....	2	21	161	96	64	38	4	4000	1							1	20	
29 Meadow Circuit.....	2	35	510	300	64	38	4	8000	1			250			105	10		
30 New Salem.....	3	31	510	300	64	38	4	29000	1			222	67		105	2	289	
31 Pigeon Forge.....	1	18	250	149	67	25	4	21500	1			1500			536	1	550	
32 Sevierville.....	4	43	484	281	47	38	3	7000	1			600			198	1	618	
33 Sevierville Circuit.....	7	38	390	226	30	30	7	9000	1			500			182	2	100	
34 Thorn Grove.....	1	10	135	85	85	85	1	15000	1			19000			250	6	100	
35 Townsend.....	96	1043	13896	7932	1506	829	97	\$ 718080	24	\$ 96100	\$ 2575	\$ 63860	\$ 27929	\$ 58370	\$ 24806	39	293	\$ 9412



# STATISTICS No. 1—RECAPITULATION

NAME OF DISTRICT	Name of District Superintendent	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										CHURCH MEMBERSHIP									
		Support of Pastor			Support of Dist. Supt.		Support of Bishop		Support of Con. Clnms.		Total Deficiency	Baptisms		Prep'tory Members		Full Membership					
		Total Claim, Includ- ing House Rent	Total Paid, Includ- ing House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Total Claim	Total Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid		Total Paid for Min- isterial Support	Children Baptized	Adults Baptized	Received During Year	Now on Roll	Received from P. M. or Professors of Faith	Transfer by	On Roll not includ- ing Non-Residents	Non-Resident- Inactive Members	Deaths During Year
1 Bristol.....	J. F. Reed.....	\$ 26615	\$ 25724	\$ 3240	\$ 2160	\$ 2904	\$ 256	\$ 237	\$ 1073	\$ 1015	\$ 28880	75	525	191	88	647	226	9083	547	48	
2 Chattanooga.....	M. P. Murphy.....	48928	48489	778	3508	3477	615	538	2211	2061	64565	630	134	246	340	72	358	339	8245	584	50
3 Harrison.....	H. M. Hawk.....	28210	25735	3270	2543	2484	210	144	1176	769	29132	3145	48	389	142	102	476	61	6183	565	61
4 Johnson City.....	W. L. Oliver.....	36171	35710	5208	2945	2847	480	421	2598	2055	41033	1422	62	611	249	50	620	173	10308	727	134
5 Knoxville.....	J. W. Bolling.....	56202	55649	6788	3937	3504	746	601	3071	2356	62110	1862	210	657	478	141	885	47812625	936	118	
Totals.....		\$216941	\$191307	\$19279	\$15088	\$15216	\$2307	\$1941	\$10129	\$8256	\$216220	529	2428	1400	453	2986	1277	46444	3359	411	
1924.....		185470	179516	24948	14724	14008	2726	2114	10955	8068	203701	333	2284	2688	441	.....	.....	46175	2231	394	
Increase.....		\$ 31471	\$ 11791	\$ 4331	\$ 364	\$ 1213	\$ 419	\$ 173	\$ 826	\$ 188	\$ 12519	196	144	.....	12	.....	.....	269	1128	17	
Decrease.....		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6237	.....	.....	1288	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	

# STATISTICS No. 2—RECAPITULATION

NAME OF DISTRICT	Sunday Schools			Epworth League		Church Property										Miscellaneous			
	Number of Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers		Enrolled in All Departments	Senior Members	Junior Members	Church Buildings		Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Parsonages	Estimated Value of Land and Buildings	Value Other Properties, Endowments, Bonds	Paid for Building and Improvements	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Property	Present Indebtedness on Property	Current Expenses	Local Preachers	Subscribers to the Advocates	Amount Contributed by Ladies' Aid Society
1 Bristol.....	122	781	10233	6190	474	128	115%	\$ 348600	20	\$ 68200	\$ 300	\$ 20346	\$ 2977	\$ 16642	\$ 3634	46	203	\$ 4353	
2 Chattanooga.....	72	706	9142	5524	909	530	68	575550	21	117550	28331	52240	47845	27150	28	305	7169		
3 Harriman.....	82½	582	7815	4607	479	177	99	297400	21	47600	6782	1550	34714	5978	21	235	3275		
4 Johnson City.....	108	880	12331	7473	936	192	112¾	591100	25	104275	1750	27324	2713	36080	28	405	5083		
5 Knoxville.....	96	1043	13896	7982	1506	829	97	713080	24	96400	2575	63860	27929	53370	24	806	9412		
Totals.....	480½	3992	53417	31776	4804	1856	502¼	\$2530730	111	\$434025	\$ 4625	\$146643	\$ 37409	\$193651	\$ 69066	182	141	\$29292	
1924.....	480½	3985	51812	30727	3914	1928	498½	2396030	110	337325	88927	58475	21419	63784	188	141	29292		
Increase.....		27	1605	1049	390	72	3¾	\$ 134700	1	\$ 96700		\$ 57716	\$ 28934	\$ 20498			\$ 5332		
Decrease.....																			

NAME OF DISTRICT

# TREASURER'S REPORT, HOLSTON CONFERENCE, 1925—BRISTOL DISTRICT

## NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES

NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Disciplinary Benevolences				Benevolences						Other Cash Items					Grand Total, Including Disciplinary and Annual Conference Benevolences, and Other Cash Items					
	World Service		On Apportionment	Legacies, etc.	Children's Day Fund	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Educational, Endowments, Buildings, Special Gifts for use within the Conf.	Hospitals and Homes; Endowments, Buildings, Special Gifts	Conference Minutes	District Parsonage	Other Benevolences	Board Epworth League	Total Benevolences Or- dered by Annual Conf.		Support of District Superintendent	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	Support of Conference Claimants	Annual Conf. Investments for Conf. Claimants	General Conf. Expenses
1 Bristol.....	\$ 341	\$ 13	\$ 435	\$ 130	\$ 14	\$ 130	\$ 130	\$ 435	\$ 1	\$ 1	\$ 4	\$ 4	\$ 11	\$ 11	\$ 15	\$ 240	\$ 25	\$ 100	\$ 14	\$ 6	\$ 871
2 Big Stone Gap.....	13		13					13			8				1	38	3	14		3	70
3 Christianburg.....	300		300					300			1				3	126	14	70		1	516
4 Clinch Valley.....	10		10					10			1				1	60	4	10		2	87
5 Floyd.....	264		264					264			4				4	105	18	80		1	474
6 Fries.....	8		8					8			1				1	85	3	12		2	110
7 Franklin.....	12		12					12			1				1	58	2	8		1	82
8 Glenford.....	65		65					65			1				3	100	12	52		4	286
9 Greendale.....	10		10					10			1				1	49	4	10		5	77
10 Gate City.....	36		36					36			1				1	108	10	70		4	228
11 Hilton.....	15		15					15			1				1	50	6	16		1	81
12 Jonesville.....	13		13					13			1				1	40	2	2		1	48
13 Konarock.....	2		2					2			1				1	60	3	16		3	96
14 LaFayette.....	15		15					15			1				2	73	6	45		1	248
15 Marion.....	120		120					120			2				2	80	6	30		1	123
16 Nickelsville.....	8		8					8			1				1	52	3	12		3	177
17 Pennington Gap.....	29		29					29			2				2	120	5	25		3	184
18 Radford.....	50		50					50			2				3	100	18	71		3	271
19 Roanoke.....	236		236					236			4				4	142	18	70		4	402
20 Rose Hill.....	101		101					101			2				2	80	10	69		4	264
21 Russell.....	36		36					36			1				1	60	9	25		1	131
22 St. Charles.....	58		58					58			2				3	93	12	59		2	182
23 Salem.....	10		10					10			2				2	100	10	36		1	168
24 Sward's Creek.....	71		71					71			3				3	86	14	41		3	217
25 West Bristol.....	5		5					5			3				3	3	1	1		1	6
26 Wynneville.....	146		146					146													6
Totals.....	\$ 1974	\$ 54	\$ 261	\$ 2289	\$ 54	\$ 261	\$ 2289	\$ 261	\$ 54	\$ 49	\$ 35	\$ 11	\$ 95	\$ 2277	\$ 237	\$ 1010	\$ 3	\$ 68	\$ 3	\$ 6	\$ 5977

# TREASURER'S REPORT, HOLSTON CONFERENCE, 1925—CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT

## NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES

NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Disciplinary Benevolences					Benevolences					Other Cash Items					Grand Total, Including Conference Benevolences, and Other Cash Items						
	World Service		On Apportionment	Specials, Annuities, Legacies, etc.	Children's Day Fund	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Educational, Endowments, Buildings, Special Gifts, for use within the Conf.	Hospitals and Homes; Endowments, Buildings, Special Gifts	Conference Minutes	District Fund	Other Benevolences	Board Epworth League	Total Benevolences Or- dered by Annual Conf.		Support of District Superintendent	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	Support of Conference Claimants	Annual Conf. Investments for Conf. Claimants	General Conf. Expenses	
	\$	%																				
1 Athens.....	\$ 189	\$				\$ 101	\$ 274	\$ 564	\$							\$	\$ 220	\$ 30	\$ 100	\$	\$	\$ 914
2 Athens Circuit.....	67					1	1	70			4				4		85	6				196
3 Burks and Fairview.....	42				8			50			2	5				7	7	16		2		181
4 Chatata Circuit.....	13							13			3				3		83	4				118
5 Chattanooga:																						
6 Alton Park.....	51							27							29		100	30				364
7 Avondale.....											4	25			3		120	25	97	3	27	248
8 First Church.....	7779				82	1559	1816	11236			20		14250		14270		100	100	425		25	26556
9 Highland Park.....	1542					646	517	2705			7	110			117		250	45	200	10	25	3327
10 Manker Memorial.....	183						30	213			3	30			33		120	15	10	4	4	395
11 Ridgedale.....	150				5	43		198			3				5		120	10	30		383	
12 St. James.....	101				11			112			4		100		104		140	10	40		5	411
13 St. Marks.....	505					107	174	786			6				6		100	45	140		30	1107
14 Cleveland.....	1010					128	154	1292			5		85		90		180	42	180		2	1784
15 Cleveland Circuit.....	25							25			1	5			34		180	40	180		12	793
16 Copperhill.....	308					39		347			4	30			6		81	7	30		2	151
17 Coalmont.....	18							18							8		93	8			127	67
18 Daisy.....	14							14							8		40	3			43	151
19 East Athens Circuit.....	25							25									40				1784	151
20 Englewood and Tellico Plains.....	469							25									100	2	5		132	1579
21 Etowah.....	25					614	136	1219	60		5	25			90		120	20	125		5	1579
22 Etowah Circuit.....	459										1	5			1		50	5	13		1	75
23 Fairmount.....	175							175			1				1		40	3	30		6	257
24 Jasper and Whitwell.....	125							125							1		60	3	25	2	215	94
25 Jas. A. Patten Com. Center.....	25				4			29							2		50	3	5		65	79
26 McDonald Circuit.....	10							10			2				2		40	9	50		2	145
27 Mt. Airy Circuit.....	17							17			2				2		4	80	57		9	482
28 North Athens.....	42							42			4		102		102		100				202	449
29 Red Bank.....	106					73	53	232							99		100	23	100		7	25
30 Soddy.....											3	30					125		2		2	40891
31 South Pittsburg.....																						
32 Tracy City Circuit.....	110				10			120														
33 Patten Circuit.....																						
Totals.....	\$13101	\$	\$ 121	\$3341	\$3152	\$19715	\$ 60	\$ 89	\$265	\$14603	\$15017	\$ 3428	\$ 532	\$ 2041	\$ 35	\$123	\$ 40891					



# TREASURER'S REPORT, HOLSTON CONFERENCE, 1925—HARRIMAN DISTRICT

## NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES

NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Disciplinary Benevolences					Benevolences						Other Cash Items					Grand Total, Including Disciplinary and Annual Conference Benevolences, and Other Cash Items			
	World Service		Legacies, etc. On Apportionment	Children's Day Fund	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Educational, Endowments, Buildings, Special Gifts for use within the Conf.	Hospitals and Homes: Buildings, Special Gifts, Special Gifts	Conference Minutes	District Parsonage	Other Benevolences	Board Epworth League	Total Benevolences Or- dered by Annual Conf.	Support of District Superintendent	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)		Support of Conference Claimants	Annual Conf. Investments for Conf. Claimants	General Conf. Expenses
	\$	\$																		
1 Andersonville.....	\$						\$ 20	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	90	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
2 Arthur and Liberty Hill.....	8					8									90	5	20			129
3 Big Valley.....															120	5	10			135
4 Eyngton.....															51	5	10			174
5 Burville.....	108					108									75	10	46	1		246
6 Clinton.....	60	20	2	2		84	3			3			5	8	85	5	25			188
7 Crossville.....			2	3		3	2			4				4	65	5		2		108
8 Dayton.....			2			2	22								100	3	10			122
9 Decatur.....			2			10	12								60	3				85
10 Graysville.....			2			106	236								150		16			442
11 Harriman.....	50		80	5		5	23								273	45	1	50		34
12 Haskell.....	18		5				178								100	5	166			712
13 Jellico.....		178					49								26	5	50			180
14 Kingston.....	45		4			245									60		10			345
15 LaFollette.....	47		198												60		3			70
16 Maynardsville.....															55	5	5			3
17 Morgan Springs.....						10									85	5	15			105
18 Newcomb and Jacksboro.....															140	15	75	10		485
19 New Tazewell.....															125	2	6			155
20 Oakdale.....	125		120			245	22								150					174
21 Oliver Springs.....	22					22				2				2	180	12	80			647
22 Oneida.....	15		7			362				5				5	100	10	75	8		212
23 Rockwood.....	288		74			25				2				2	60	5	20			94
24 Sunbright.....	10		3			9									90	5	20			179
25 Vine Grove.....			2																	
26 Well Springs.....	50					64														
Totals.....	\$ 873	\$ 198	\$ 39	\$ 510	\$ 129	\$ 1749	\$	\$ 16	\$	\$	\$ 5	\$ 21	\$ 2354	\$ 141	\$ 788	\$ 82	\$ 21	\$	\$	5106



# TREASURER'S REPORT, HOLSTON CONFERENCE, 1925—JOHNSON CITY DISTRICT

## NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES

NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Disciplinary Benevolences					Benevolences							Other Cash Items														
	World Service		On Apportionment	Specials, Annuities, Legacies, etc.	Children's Day Fund	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Educational, Endowments, Buildings, Special Gifts for use within the Conf.	Hospitals and Homes: Endowments, Buildings, Special Gifts	Conference Minutes	District Parsonage	Other Benevolences	Board Epworth League	Total Benevolences Or- dered by Annual Conf.	Support of District Superintendent	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	Support of Conference Claimants	Annual Conf. Investments for Conf. Claimants	General Conf. Expenses	Grand Total, Including Disciplinary and Annual Conference Benevolences, and Other Cash Items						
1	Baileytown.....	\$	7	\$	5	\$	5	\$	12	\$	5	\$	4	\$	4	\$	115	\$	15	\$	120	\$	6	\$	272		
2	Chucky.....		85						85								110		15		85		4		302		
3	Elizabethon.....		135						135								150		30		150		5		475		
4	Fall Branch.....		153		3				156					20		24	87		20		100		5		392		
5	Greenville.....		402			313			855								120		30		140				1150		
6	Greenville Circuit.....		33						33								86		15		20				164		
7	Johnson City.....		575			483			2033							10	270		50		215				2573		
8	Kingsport.....		225						225								120		21		100				481		
9	Kingsport Circuit.....		20						20								95		10		25		10		150		
10	Limestone.....																85		18		50				155		
11	Morristown.....		733		5	206			1179								210		33		200		15		1644		
12	Morristown Circuit.....		140						140								105		10		109				369		
13	Mosheim.....		342						342								120		18		150		7		642		
14	Mt. City and Butler.....		35			1			141								75		8		10		4		235		
15	Mt. City Circuit.....		40						43								90		5		15				155		
16	Newport.....		425			5			30								120		25		150				734		
17	Newport Circuit.....		20			5			20								120		5		30				90		
18	Parrottsville.....		202						216								150		30		100		5		494		
19	Pittman Center.....		80			14			80								150		10		25		2		130		
20	Roane Mountain.....		50		2	1			54								80		10		25				171		
21	Rogersville.....		20						20								64		12		25		3		206		
22	Rutledge.....		100						100								72		4		100		2		309		
23	Sneedville.....		29						29								104		25		50				206		
24	Suphur Springs.....		34			41			75								90		13		75		6		364		
25	Surgoinsville.....		48						48								97		13		13				206		
26	Telford.....		161			10			171								43		5		40				171		
27	Unicoi.....		80						80																	12242	
Totals.....		\$	4224	\$	72	\$	1009	\$	1422	\$	6727	\$	80	\$	20	\$	100	\$	2823	\$	437	\$	2064	\$	91	\$	12242

# TREASURER'S REPORT, HOLSTON CONFERENCE, 1925—KNOXVILLE DISTRICT

## NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES

NAMES OF CHARGES OR CHURCHES	Disciplinary Benevolences					Benevolences							Other Cash Items					Grand Total, Including Conference Benevolences, Disciplinary and Annual and Other Cash Items					
	World Service		On Apportionment	Specials, Annuities, Legacies, etc.	Children's Day Fund	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Educational, Endowments, Buildings, Special Gifts for use within the Conf.	Hospitals and Homes: Endowments, Buildings, Special Gifts	Conference Minutes	District Parsonage	Other Benevolences	Board Epworth League	Total Benevolences Or- dered by Annual Conf.	Support of District Superintendent	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)		Support of Conference Claimants	Annual Conf. Investments for Conf. Claimants	General Conf. Expenses		
	\$	¢																					
1 Alcoa and Bungalow Town.....	\$	43						\$	43							\$	72				\$	115	
2 Asbury.....		48							48								50					108	
3 Burlington.....																							
4 Chestnut Hill.....		80			5						1						15				5	262	
5 Dandridge.....		75				79			85		3						98					322	
6 Erie Circuit.....		3							3								46				3	55	
7 Fair Garden.....		45							45		2						86				4	162	
8 Friendsville and Walland.....		54							54		2						84					198	
9 Jefferson City.....		10							10								16					41	
10 Knoxville:																							
11 E. Main Avenue.....		244				4	75		323		3						100					584	
12 First Church.....		1735			42	1534	1204		4515		20						350					5435	
13 Inskip.....		244				33			277								60				1	408	
14 Jones Chapel.....		111				101			212								150					422	
15 Lonsdale.....		501			8	100			609								100				10	829	
16 Oakwood.....		25				17	298		42								100				5	222	
17 Park City.....		183				243			724								150					1004	
18 Second Church.....		1200				87	21		1308								250					1738	
19 South Knoxville.....		9				6	3		18								24				3	53	
20 Trinity.....		1451			25	1054	925		3456								400					4831	
21 Whittle Springs.....		145				56			201		5						65					821	
22 Knoxville Circuit.....					5		55		200								100					130	
23 Lenoir City.....		140							15								100					426	
24 Lenoir City Circuit.....		15							10								54				1	81	
25 Little River Circuit.....		10				10											71					104	
26 London.....																	67					105	
27 Maryville.....		200		115		300	222		837								200				10	1242	
28 Maryville Circuit.....		76							76		4						100					286	
29 Meadow Circuit.....		32							32								20					52	
30 New Salem.....		11							11								65				5	121	
31 Pigeon Forge.....		171							171		4						115				2	370	
32 Sevierville.....		455					150		605								180					900	
33 Sevierville Circuit.....		25							25		5						35				15	261	
34 Thorn Grove.....		63							63		3						73					217	
35 Townsend.....		7							7								60				6	202	
Totals.....	\$	7412	\$	115	\$	86	\$3545	\$3032	\$14189	\$	175	\$	48	\$	57	\$	611	\$	2386	\$	10	\$ 62	\$ 21065



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